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PRICE OUTSIDE ST. LOUIS, TWO

Easter Bargains Offered by Our Leading Merchants.

STEPS TO STOR A SALARY GRAB.

Taxpayers Tired of Paying Twice for the Same Work.

WOULD "DOCK" THE MAYOR.

The Courts Asked to Make Mr. Walbridge De His Work or Forego His Wages.

prominent citizens and taxpayers to test the right of Mayor Wallbridge to draw

draw the full amount of his salary with clock-like regularity every month. Some on purely personal errands, but that did not interfere with the salary grab. It rather

mayor got full wages for the time he didn't put in, the acting mayor was paid for doing the work.

Since Mr. Walbridge became a candidate for Governor he has spent a considerable portion of his time skirmishing in the bushes of the outlying districts, whispering tales that please the bucolle vater, and laying plans to further his ambition. During his absence Mr Nagel, as is required by law, has officiated as acting Mayor, and the city must pay him for it.

The Post-Dispatch pointed out the imthat the the most distressing emitting the while the most distressing emitting the while the most distressing emitting the while the most distressing the mixture of the most distressing the mixture of the second execution was accomplished with even more distressing awkwardness, the executioner being almost on the verge functions.

The protests of the officers and priests forced Ruiz to undertake the third executions, but he did little better than his assistant had dohe. The fourth victim of bungling garroters was likewise tortured, and then Ruiz literally fied from his post, leaving his assistants to put to death the fifth of the unfortunate Cubans, who escaped none of the agonizing experiences that had attended the execution of his fel-

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endered, and citizens who have an interest
a keeping the expenses of government
rithin legitimate bounds decided to inerpose for the protection of themselves
and other taxpayers. They have filed a petion in the Circuit Court, which will derive his honor of \$1,117.37, if it is successal.

ful.

These gentlemen are Charles Speck,
United States Internal Revenue Collector;
C. F. Bates, assistant Secretary of the Catlin Tobacco Co.; John F. Shepley of Lionberger & Shepley; L. M. Hellman, Herman
A. Hacussler and William E. Fisse.

The suit was filed Tuesday and is expected to result in a great saving to the
elty.

The petition is for an injunction to restrain City Treasurer Scudder from paying Mayor Walbridge his salary for the time he has been absent from the city. It is directed against Treasurer Scudder, Cyrus P. Walbridge and the City of St. Louis.

The petition states that the plaintiffs sue for themselves and all other tax-payers of the city. It is alleged that the city charter provides that when the Mayor is absent from the city his duties shall be performed by the President of the Council or the Speaker of the House of Delegates.

It is alleged that Mayor Walbridge during the fiscal years 1895-96 has repeatedly absented himself from the city on his own private business, in no way connected with the business of the city; that during the time the Mayor was absent the President of the Council was entitled to draw the same

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the Council was entitled to draw the same
salary that the Mayor would be entitled to
draw if present, and, acting as Mayor, did
draw \$1,050. In the same way the Speaker of
the House of Delegates drew \$50.

Notwithstanding these facts it is alleged,
Mayor Walbridge continues to demand his
full salary, and the City Treasurer has
paid it without any deduction or any refard for the fact that the salary had been
legally and justly drawn by Nagel and
Diekmann.

It is further alleged that the Mayor has
been absent from the city on his private
affairs during the month of March, 1896,
and has as usual demanded his salary for
the time he did not serve. If the City
Treasurer is not restrained from paying
the money it is asserted he will pay both
Nagel and Walbridge for the same work.
The plaintiffs claim that if the Treasurer
pays the money out there will be no way of
recovering it, and a temporary injunction is
therefore prayed for.

As soon as filed, at 11:30 o'clock, the peti-

As soon as filed, at 11:30 o'clock, the petition was rushed down to the Sheriff's office, in order that Treasurer Scudder might be served with immediate notice of it. It was feared that Mayor Walbridge might get his check ahead of the suit.

A copy of the petition reached Treasurer Scudder shortly after 12 o'clock. Mayor Walbridge had not drawn his salary.

He won't get it now until the courts have massed upon the question.

Attorney Haeussier, who represents the plaintiff, did not appear at the City Hall Tuesday morning, but Attorney Charles E. Broadhead notified the Treasurer of the action to be taken.

An effort will also be made to prevent the payment of \$1,950 awarded Coroner Wait as back salary, in an ordinance which was payment of \$1,950 awarded Coroner Wait as back salary, in an ordinance which was signed by Mayor Wallbridge Monday. No action was taken on this Tuesday, because there is ample time, the ordinance not taking effect intil ten days after the mayor's signature was affixed to it. The \$1,950 was drawn by ex-Coroner Atkinson, and when Atkinson was ouxted Wait signed an agreement not to sue Atkinson, provided the latter refrained from taking the contest to the Supreme Court.

Mayor Walbridge was seated in the inner chamber of the Mayor's office when called upon by a Post-Dispatch reporter for the purpose of getting his views upon the action taken by the Taxpayers' League to deprive him of his salary.

His honor was dictating answers to letters, which his stanographer was busily taking down. The big table was covered with papers and documents of various kinds.

winds papers and documents of various kinds.

"What is your opinion, your honor, of the action taken by the Taxpayers' League to deprive you of your check for this month's salary?"

"Have they taken any action?" was the question in return.

"They have obtained an injunction in the Circuit Court and the Treasurer has

been notified to hold your check until further orders."

"In which court was this done; before what Judge?"

"The point being informed that the reporter did not know, the Mayor ceased to interview his questioner and said: "I do not care to discuss the matter in any way. I do not think it consistent with my position in the case to sav anything at the present time."

ime."

Further than this his honor would not disuss the subject and returned to his dictation of letters to his stenographer.

FIVE CUBANS GARROTED.

dungling Executions Attended by Horrible Torture.

HAVANA, March 31.—Never in modern times has there been a more sickening spectacle than that which to-day attended the public execution of five Cubans. The men had been condemned to death by the garrote as "murderers, violators and incendiaries."

Troops were drawn up in a hollow square, and in the middle were placed the chair and post. Ruis, the public executioner, had deputized an assistant to conduct the affair.

The condemned men, having received the offices of the church, were brought into the square to meet their fate.

One of them had confessed his guilt and affirmed the innocence of all the others, who also protested that they were guiltless. The first man to die took his seat in the chair calmly, the iron collar was fixed about his neck and the cap drawn over his face.

Then the executioner undertook to apply

about his neck and the cap drawn over his face.

Then the executioner undertook to apply the screw, but was so excited that his hands slipped repeatedly, with the result that the victim died by slow strangulation, emitting the while the most distressing

THEY ARE OF ONE MIND.

All Over the State the Sentiment for Free Silver Abounds.

W. H. Lyons of Plattsbug. Mo., arrived at

the Laclede Tuesday morning.
Mr. Lyons has been swinging round the circle in the State sizing up the financial situation. He is a sterling free silverite, and though somewhat fatigued Tuesday mornthough somewhat fatigued Tuesday morning, he said that he was never too tired to sound the praises of the white metal or to express his conviction that the Democrats will carry the State with a 16 to 1 platform. "Down in Clinton County, where I live," said Mr. Lyons, "Democrats are as one on the silver issue. Of course, there are a few goldbugs, but they don't cut much of a figure in shaping the course of the party. On the other hand thore are a good many free silver Republicans down our way, men firm and honest in their convictions, and men who regard their stand on the money question as paramount to party ties."

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"I have been getting about the State at a pretty rapid gait lately, and I have found the conditions much the same in all the counties I have visited.

Democrats all over the State are watch-Democrats all over the State are watching St. Louis' action on the money question with intense interest. All that we are waiting for is to see St. Louis fall into line and elect a solid free silver delegation to the Sedalia Convention. Such action would show beyond peralventure that even in large cities where moneyed men abound, the free silver santiment prevails."

Mr. Lyons leaves for Washington Tuesday night.

"SOUND MONEY" MEN.

Looks Like Mr. Francis Was Going to Have Another Caucus.

Orchard, both of West Plains, Mo., arrived in town Tuesday morning together and went at once to the Laclede. Mr. Catron is a banker and a capitalist who would sooner vote for a gold standard than eat. The same may be said of Mr. Orchard, except that he is not a banker or a capitalist—merely a poor down-trodden legislator.
Anyway, the two came together and breakfasted together. Then Mr. Catron put in his time dodging reporters. Senator Or-chard ventured into the hotel lobby. When chard ventured into the hotel lobby. When approached by a Post-Dispatch reporter and asked whether it was not a fact that he and Mr. Catrom had come to St. Louis to attend a caucus of gold men in conjunction with Robert N. O. Wilson, L. M. Anderson and N. E. Farrar, three bankers from Perryville, Mo., Senator Orchard stroked his combination Svengali-Vandyke-Chester Krum whiskers and said:

"Why, no, there's no caucus on. I just came up here to attend a trial in the Circuit Court. I didn't even know those Perryville gentlemen were in the city."

All the same, the ink had not dried on the signatures of Messrs. Catron and Orchard at the Laclede, when the three bankers arrived at Hurst's, next door. They studiously avoided reporters all morning and their actions were so mysterious as to give foundation to the belief that they came here to do some political tinkering on the "gold boom."

JUDGE BURTON RILED.

He Was Asked Teo Many Questions About a Pension Bill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—Judge Burton of Missouri had a trying five min-utes in the House to-day. He attempted to pass, during the morning hour, a bill to give George A. Orr of Missouri \$600 for services tendered as Deputy Provost Marshal in 1862. Orr was a member of a Missouri militis company and was called for six months into the service of the Government as Deputy Provost Marshal. At this late day he is trying to get 100 a month from the Government for services rendered thirty years ago. The bill has passed the Senate. When called up in the House McMillin of Tennessee, Bartlett of New York, Dingley of Maine, Blue of Kansas and others opened a running fire of questions, under which Judge Burton lost his temper. The bill is peculiar because it is probably the only one of its kind. It failed to receive approval, but will be called up later. to pass, during the morning hour, a bill

Charles Belgard Electrocuted in a Down-Town Alley.

DIED IN THREE MINUTES.

An Obstructing Wire Came in Contact With One Charged While Belgard Was Moving It Out of the Way.

Charles Bolgard, a driver for the Walton Knost Express Co., received a shock from an electric wire in the alley at the rear of 112 North Sixth street at 1:40 p. m. He was almost instantly killed. Bolgard was driving a wagon into the

alley when he observed a loose wire hang-Wm. Althaus, his foreman, was ragon with him

They stopped and began rolling the so as to allow the wagon to pass.

In some way the wire crossed a live and the current caught both men. Alth was knocked down, but was not ser

Bolgard had grasped the wire firm He was picked up and carried into bi

He died in about three minutes. The wire when it fell lay across one of the corses and the animal was also killed. Bolgard was about 24 years old and lived at 3623 Dodler street. He had a wife and An ambulance was called and the corps was sent to the Morgue.

IT WAS WITHOUT EXCUSE.

Prominent Democrats Comment on the Central Committee's Recent Action.

Gov. Stone came down from Jefferson City last night and is at the Planters'. He will return to the Capital to-night.

He was surrounded in the lobby of the hotel nearly all morning by a crowd of local and out-of-town party leaders. Prominent among the former class were George W.

Allen, H. A. Guinzburg and T. T. Hathaway and of the latter Maj. Harvey W. Salmon of Clinton, Col. W. H. Kennon of Mexico and members of the Executive Committee of the Missouri ex-Confederate Association and Missouri ex-Contenerate Association and have come to St. Louis in response to a call by President James Bannerman for the purpose of holding a business meeting to consider the affairs of the Confederate Home at Higginsville.

Gov. Stone refused to discuss politics, but when he was hard pressed for an opinion as to the Democratic City Central Commit-

as to the Democratic City Central Commit-tee's action in taking from the Board of Election Commissioners the management of the primaries for the election of delegates to Sedalia he said:

"If I had had a voice in that matter I would

the primaries for the election of delegates to Sedalia he said:

"If I had had a voice in that matter I would have advised against it. There seems no good reason for the committee's action. The law prescribes a method for the holding of primary elections and experience has proven that everybody is treated fairly under the Ryan law properly administered. I am convinced, therefore, that whatever the result may be under the new method, it would have been more satisfactory to everybody had the committee not taken this new shoot."

A member of the committee appointed to raise funds for the bimetallists in the contest for delegates to Sedalia, when told of Gov. Stone's disapproval of the City Central Committee's course, said:
"I agree with the Governor, and go further than he by declaring that there was no possible excuse for the committee's action. Chairman Brady, Committeeman Hatton and others, responsible for this action, make the excuse that there was no money for regular primaries. I understand they claim to have taken this course because of the fear that the bimetallists would experience difficulty in raising the \$1,400 necessary for the filing of delegations in the twenty-eight wards. As a matter of fact, I told members of the committee the very day of the night on which the objectionable action was taken that we had the money required and it would be forthcoming whenever they were ready for it.

"They can't, therefore, excuss themselves on any such plea as either economy or poverty. They must give some better reason for their action than they have thus far volunteered before I will be even half-way satisfied with their action.

"However, all we want is fair treatment. If Mr. Brady's committee gives us that we have nothing more to ask. But if anything less is given us we will make it very merry for the City Central Committee after the Sedalia Convention is held."

CONFESSED FORGERY.

Charles Conwell, Caught in Kansas, Wanted at Alton, Ill.

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 31.—On informade a full confession to-day. Conwell has been arrested here for forgery. He made a full confession to-day. Socwall was District Attorney of Wyoming in 1878. Drink caused his downfall.

THE WEATHER Rain Tuesday Night and Wednesday; Much Colder Wednesday. Weather Bureau fore

For St. Louis and



Missouri Supreme Court Affirms the State's Case.

MURDERERS OF THE MEEKS.

Story of the Frightful Crime for Which Justice Exacts the Death Penalty.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 31.-Th riminal division of the Supreme Court to George E. and Wm. P. Taylor and sentence Wm. Taylor was a banker at Brownin



WILLIAM P. TAYLOR.

inn County, and his brother owned a fare in the neighborhood. They were implicated in an arson case, and to escape conviction they murdered Gus Meeks, his wife and two children and left a third child, a 4-year-old girl, under the belief that she was dead. This happened May 10, 1894. The



were hid in an old straw stack on

Several persons supported the defense of allbi set up by the Taylors, but the ourt considers it overweighted by the af-irmative swidence of their guilt. The Court inds no reversible error in the rulings or in-tructions of the suige. All of the Judges concur except Burgess, who does not express an opinion with reference to the refusal of the Court to allow Mr. Proctor to testify. The attorneys for the defense claim errors in the trial which

NO. 2 WHEAT RULE.

ferchants' Exchange Considers the ALL ARE FOR FREE SILVER.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange was held Tuesrdering a vote of the Exchange on the No. 2 wheat rule.

A strong petition was presented to the board asking that the Exchange be permitted to vote on the question of abro ing the rule permitting the delivery of No. 2 hard wheat or all contracts calling for Tuesday morning another petition was

circulated asking the board to pay no attention to the first petition. The board went into executive session at 1.15 p. m. They decided to submit the matter to a vote, to be taken April 16.

MARLBOROUGH AND BRIDE. The Duke and Duchess Welcomed to

WOODSTOCK, England, March 31.-This pretty little town was in holiday attire to give a hearty welcome to the young Duke Consuelo Vanderbilt of New York. Great preparations were made among the villagers and tenantry generally for the home-coming

Their Blenheim Home.

As the palace is undergoing repairs, the State apartments for some time to come

IT LOOKS LIKE WAR,

Ships at Toulen Preparing for Active

TOULON, March II.—There are signs at the dock-yards and arsensis of preparations for grave events. Orders have been received to prepare a number of war ships for active service, stores and ammunition are being overhauled and sent on board the vessels to be prepared for commission, and all naval officers on furlough have been telegraphed to rejoin their ships immediately. These measures, however, are believed to be more of a precautionary nature than as indicating the probability of an outbreak of hostilities. The French Mediterranean squadron, however, is to be airengthened and the second-class cruiser, Cecille, 5.765 tons, eight five-ton guns and ten three-ton guns, having a speed of nine-ten knots, has salled on a special mission to the African Coast. TOULON, March 31.—There are signs a

SINKAT THREATENED. Osman Digna Is at Hand With Many

The Democrats of Missouri Are Declaring Themselves.

Also for a Solid Delegation to the Chicage Convention.

SEDALIA, Mo., March 31 .- The Pettis To the State Convention-W. H. Evans

W. C. Overstreet, P. B. Stratton, John T. Heard. To the Congressional Convention—L. H. Durley, E. F. Scott, R. E. Ferguson, John Haverfield, J. T. Montgomery, W. P. Haley, W. S. Baker, John W. Baldwin, John Cash-man, T. F. Mitchum, J. S. Hughes, V. P. Hart, E. W. Stevens, Joe P. Harrington,

O. M. Harris. O. M. Harris.

The delegates to the Congressional Convention were instructed to vote and work for the nomination of State Senator Charles E. Yeater for Congressman.

The following resolutions were adopted unanimously.

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The Democracy of Pettis County, in regular convention duly assembled, renews its unfaitering allegiance to the time-honored doctrines of the great Democratic party, prominent among which we recognize the principle of a tariff for revenue only, so adjusted as to bear lightest upon articles of prime necessity to the great mass of ordinary consumers and sufficient only for the actual needs of the Government, honestly, economically administered.

A graduated income tax that will compel the accumulated wealth of the country to bear its just and eguitable share of the current expenses of the Government, whose benefits and protection in a special manner it enjoys. of the young Duke and Duchess, and old

Recognition of the right of labor in every branch of productive industry to a fair proportion of the net product of its own creation.

Opposition to the ever-increasing encroachments of the Federal Government, both through its Executive and judiciary, upon the constitutional reserved rights, both of States and individuals.

Opposition to the further issue of interest-bearing Government bonds in time of peace, and to the use of panic-breeding, corporation credit currency as a circulating medium of exchange for the domestic commerce of the American people.

And last, but not least, we demand an immediate return to the honest money system established by the original founders of the American Republic, and guaranteed in its constitution; and to this end we further demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of it to 1, together with its immediate rehabilitation as money of final redemption for all obligations, both public and private, and all this by the United States, independent of the action of any other nation or power under the sun.

Resolved, further, That the designations to the State Convention, to be held April is, to be, and are hereby, expressly instructed to use their united influence to cast the solid vote of Petits Country only for such delegates to the National Convention to be held at Chicagor as are known to be personally favorable to free econage at its

Impending Change in the Cuban

RECOGNIZING INSURGENTS.

leveland Is Likely to Do So Since the House Has Deferred to the

THE TRUE SITUATION

NEW YORK, March 31.-Among the passengers on board the steamer Yucatan, which has just arrived here, was Elbert Rappleye, the newspaper correspondent, who, after three months' stay in Cuba, was

Capt.-Gen. Weyler. ar. Rappeye, in an in-terview, said:
"I unbesitatingly state that within three months the insurgent cause in Cuba will be triumphant if the United States govern-ment will grant beligerent rights and give the Cubans anything resembling a fighting opportunity. The Spaniards are now on the defensive. Every battle fought in Cuba in the last three days has been invited by the rebels.

fight like tigers, and with the supply of arms and ammunition supplied by the Bermuda, they are again marching toward Havana. If the Cubans had enough arms they could put 100,000 men into the field. The insurgent troops are well officered and as perfectly organized as the Spanish. The Cubans have been so near Havana that the burning plantations could be seen from the housetops and the Cubans have captured piaces only a few miles from the capital. More than this, the Cubans on the capital. More than this, the Cubans to the capital who will be control all the produce of the island. Thousands in Havana are suffering for enough to eat, as they are in all the seaports, but they are heart and soul with the Cubans and are willing to suffer. 'Spanished. Ex

CISNEBOS' MANIFESTO.

Bandits Are in No Way Connected With the Cuban Army.

New Hampshire Republicans Did Not Instruct for Reed.

THOUGHT FOR THEMSELVES.

Eulogized Both Reed and McKinley and Followed Conventional Lines on Other Subjects.

CONCORD, N. H., March M.-The Re blican State Convention met here this liam E. Chandler as chairman. Mr. Chan-dler made a speech in which he predicted success for the Republican party in the coming campaign; said the Republicans would rectify the tariff, and redeem the ncy situation, would give the country a new foreign policy; he bespoke sympa-thy for Cuba, and eulogized Thomas B.

thy for Cuba, and eulogized Thomas B. Reed.

The Committee on Resolutions consisted of Hon. Henry M. Putney of Manchester, S. W. Abbott of Worborough, and Henry M. Cheney of Lebanon. The surprise of the day came when they made their report and it did not emphatically indorse Thomas B. Reed for the presidency. It had been fully believed up to last night that the Maine man would sweep all New England, which it was thought would follow the lead of Massachusetts on the presidential question. This feeling was rendered stronger by the fight that Senator Chandler has been waging on McKinley and his charges of boodle so freely made at Washington.

his charges of boodle so freely made at Washington.
When the delegates began to arrive last night it was soon seen that McKinley had many friends, and as the platform printed below shows, the Ohio candidate divided honors with Reed, both being mentioned in the same paragraph of the platform.
Of the 700 entitled to seats in the convention, 679 were present. But one ticket for delegates at large was presented and that bore the names of Hon. Stephen S. Jewett of Laconia, Gen. Frank S. Streeter of Concord, Hon. Charles T. Means of Manchester and Col. James A. Wood of Acworth. These four candidates for delegates at large were elected by acclamation.
George A. C. Clark of Manchester, Stephen H. Gale of Exeter, Oscar Hatch of Littleton and Dexter Richards of Newport were elected alternates.

There was a slight stir in the even cur-

ton and Dexter Richards of Newport were elected alternates.

There was a slight stir in the even current of the proceedings when Col. Frank Rollins of Concord offered a substitute financial plank, identical with that adopted by the Massachusetts convention last week as an amendment to the resolutions, but Chairman Putney, Senator Gallagher and others opposed the proposition and the amendment was lost by an overwhelming viva voce vote. Adoption of the plaform reported by the committee was made unanimous. Adjournment followed the adoption of the

THE PLATFORM. It Favors Either Thomas B. Reed or William McKinley.

The platform opens with a congratulation to the country upon the near approach of

The platform opens with a congratulation to the country upon the near approach of an opportunity for release from Democratic misrule. "To the end," it continues, "that this great deliverance may be fully accomplished and our nation may be restored to the honor, the glory and the material prosperity to which it attained under Republican policy. ""

"We demand of the National Convention spor to assemble at St. Louis the nomination of candidates whose election will mean the speedy repeal of the inflameus and ruinous Democratic tariff and the substitution therefor of one based upon the principles of the McKinley act. """

"The enactment of currency laws that will provide a circulating medium in gold, sliver and paper which will always be interchangable at its face value because each and every dollar of it is of the same purchasing spower as a gold dollar; liberal appropriations for an adequate navy and coast and harbor defenses, and internal improvements; fair and generous treatment of Union veterans; a foreign policy characterized by sturdy. Americanism, including the asertion of the Monroe doctrine and the moral and material support of the Cuban patriots if they have not already achieved their independence, and an immediate return to all the policies in which the Republican party has so successfully illustrated the soundness of its principles, and to methods by which it has demonstrated its ability to apply those principles to the administration of the Government. apply those principles to the administration the Government.

"We recognize as most conspicuous amor such candidates New England's noble ar illustrious son, Hon. Thomas B. Reed Matne, and that pure and able stateman and champion of protection, the Hon. Wm. McKinley of Ohio. "We will give the electoral vote of New Hampshire to any nominee who worthily represents the party, but we prefer one of these because either is in himself a platform."

BRADLEY LAID OUT. The McKinley Boom Too Strong for

the Bayonet Governor. LEXINGTON, Ky., March 31.-McKinley's managers have heard from the 19 countle which have thus far held conventions and which have given out the following compilation:
For Bradley, straight—Adalt, 14; Campbell, 47; Mercer, 14; Taylor, 8 delegates.
For Bradley first choice and McKinley second—Kenton, 29; Breckinridge, 19; Jessamine, 12. Uninstructed—Bourbon, 20; Owen, 10; Oldham, 4; Shelby, 16. McKinley, straight—Barren, 14; Calloway, 5; Carlisle, 3; McCracken, 16; Mulhenburg, 38; Pendleton, 13; Trigg, 11; Morgan, 8. The totals are: Eight counties, McKinley straight, 38; four counties, Bradley straight, 83; three counties, have given out the following compilation:

DEMOCRATIC HEADQUARTERS. The Congressional Committee Getting

Ready for the Campaign. WASHINGTON, March 31 .- The Demo cratic Congressional Committee has re opened its old headquarters at 736 Fifteent street for the coming campaign. Senato Faulkner, chairman of the committee, an Secretary Lawrence Gardner are in charge Secretary Lawrence Gardner are in charge A large amount of campaign literature has been ordered and will be disseminated where it will do the Democracy the mos

good.

The National Association of Democratic clubs also has headquarters in the same building and things are lively there just now, incident to arrangements for the excursion to Monticello on Jefferson's birthday. Great preparations are being made for the gathering of the Democrats at the old home of their historic chieftain.

Vice-President Sevenson has accepted an invitation to be present.

SPOKE AT JONESBORO.

Addresses by Three Candidates for th Arkansas Governorship. Jones Boro, Ark., March 31.—Hons. Dan

W. Jones, J. W. Harrod and H. H. Sevier,

County Republican Primaries In meeting of the St. Louis County CenIl Republican Committee was held at
Lyton Monday. April 18 was the date
of for holding primaries and selecting
egates to the County Convention at
Lyton April 20. The County Convention
Il elect 16 delegates to a Senatorial contion to be held in Washington, Franklin
unty, May 21, and 16 delegates to the
tee Convention to be held at St. Joseph,
y 27.

ALTGELD INDORSED.

upin County (Ill.) Democrats

CARLINVILLE, Ill., March M.-The Maoupin County Democratic Convention was adopted; also, one instructing the delegates to the Congressional Convention to work for the election of delegates to the national convention the election of delegates to the national convention who would work and vote for a Western man for President; also, indorsing Joy. Aligald and favoring his rehomination; also instructing for Hon. W. L. Mounts for State Senator, and T. M. Coniese for member of the Legislature, and nominating cohn Homer for Circuit Clerk and J. B. Vaushn for State's Attorney, H. M. Winston or Surveyor and W. H. Harts for Corporer,

MAKING SLOW PROGRESS. The Anti-McKinley Movement in Virginia and North Carolina.

combined opposition of all the managers of Presidential candidates other than McKin-Presidential candidates other than McKinley, the protection boom goes on.
The latest returns from North Carolina
given out by Senator Pritchard, and the
developments in Virginia, are most discouraging to the anti-McKinleyites. In
North Carolina sixteen out of the twentytwo delegates are claimed for the Ohio man.
Where the opposition hoped that Reed would
be especially strong, out in Virginia, a deal
was made with Col. Lamb, the successor to
Billy Mahone, whereby the Old Dominion
delegates were to be sent without instructions. This plan it was thought could be
carried out and the antis would thereby be
strengthened by having leeway to work on.
But as county after county is instructing
for McKinley, with the indications pointing
for a decided majority for him, it is clear
that Col. Lamb cannot deliver the goods
called for in his agreement with the bosses.
While the Sur delegates: at-large may not
be instructed, the McKinley organization is
going on successfully with the work of
capturing Congressional districts and instructing the delegates to vote for him.

Flynn Renominated. KINGFISHER, O. T., March 31.—The Republican Congressional Convention of Oklahoma met and renominated Hon, Dennis Flynn for a third term as Delegate to Congress.

Political Pointers. Philadelphia manufacturers against free silver. Randelph County (Mo.) Republicans de lared for McKinley. Republicans of Linn County, Mo., in-tructed for McKinley.

Knox County (Ill.) Republicans indorse McKinley and Tanner. McKinley and Tagner.

Garland County (Ark.) Democrats in-structed for Harrod for Governor.

Stark County (Ill.) Republicans favor Hopkins for Governor and Mason for Sen-ator.

Douglass County (III.) Republicans cheered McKinley, but sent uninstructed delegates. Jones Harrod and Sevier, candidates for Jovernor in Arkansas, spoke at Jonesbor

Committee.

Senator Sherman says McKinley's position
in the race now is analogous to that of
Cleveland in 1892.

Oklahoma Republicans chose six delegates to the National Convention and now think they are only enabled to two.

FREE SILVER KICKERS.

They Unearth and Denounce a Goldbug Scheme in Arkansas.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 31 .- The free silver Democrats of Pulaski County, who compose four-fifths of the Democracy of the county, are highly indignant at the ac tion of the Democratic County Central Committee in calling mass-meetings to settle the gubernatorial contest in this vicinity. The leading members of the committee ar pronounced enemies to the free coinage of silver and the work is construed as an effor to defeat Col. Dan Jones, their choice for Governor, in his home county. Almost ev regular primaries, where every Democrat to Constable. Where this has been done Col Jones has swept the field. A rousing meet-ing of the Democratic Bimetallic League of this city was held last night and the fol-lowing resolutions unanimously adopted: ing of the Democratic Bimetallic League of this city was held last night and the following resolutions unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has come to our knowledge that the Democratic Central Committee of Fulaski County has arranged for mass meetings and not for a primary election by the people, insofar as State officers are concerned, and Whereas, In our judgment it is impossible to obtain a fair expression of the popular will with such form of meetings, as it is a fact known to all men that it is impossible to control the attendance on the same, and because there is no way to prevent persons from attending and voting who are not enly not Democrats, but who are often not citizens or voters of the ward or precinct; and Whereas, The adoption of such a course lays the committee open to the charge of being unwilling to allow the people a fair and untrammeled opportunity to express themselves through the method of a regular election; therefore, be it Resolved, That we consider the action of said committee a grave mistake, contrary to the wish of the great majority of the Democratic voters and calculated to provoke distrust and disastisfaction. We earnestly request said committee to take prompt steps to revies and reverse its action.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch and forwarded to the chairman of said committee.

Col. George W. Murphy, C. S. Collins and other.

forwarded to the chairman of said committee.

Col. George W. Murphy, C. S. Collins and other leading members of the league delivered addresses advocating extreme measures if the committee refused to rescind its action, Mr. Collins said it was a scheme of the goldbugs to defeat the will of the people in the gubernatorial centest. He said Col. E. W. Rector of Hot Springs had stated that if a primary election had been held in Garland County, the result on the Governorship would have been different. He had official information that the plan now proposed here was perpetrated in Johnson County, where the free silverites outnumber the gold men by 8 to 1. The league decided to await the action of the club before taking further steps.

Col. Jones has addressed a letter to Hon. J. H. Harrod, his opponent, asking Harrod to join him in a request to the committee to make the desired change. No answer has yet been received. The league elected Alderman S. D. Smith President, and Clem R. Schaer Secretary for the ensuing term.

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riettas, worth 75c, at 46 cents.

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the Governor's Detractors.

LINN COUNTY REPUBLICANS.

They Declare for McKinley and Elect

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LINNEUS, Mo., March 31.—The Republi

ans of Linn County met here to select delegates to the two State conventions, Resolutions were passed indorsing McKinley. Maj. Mullins made a thirty-minute speech in which he referred to Hon. A. C. Pettijohn as the next Governor of Missouri, and declared that he wanted no mixture of State and church, which was a slap at the A. P. A. and Davis. The following delegates were selected to the Springfield Convention: E. B. Allen, J. A. Arbuthnot, J. W. Jones, G. W. Martin, F. C. Stine, H. Markham, S. L. Martin and George W. Adams. Also the following named delegates to the St. Joseph Convention: T. M. Elliott, A. W. Mullins, D. B. Ormiston, C. G. Bigger, J. L. Org, A. J. Caywood, J. L. Haas, David Cody and L. B. Hudson.

Hudson.

The Democrats will hold a convention here April 6 to choose delegates to the Sedalla Convention and the Republicans will hold their congressional sconvention here April 14.

Free for All at the Springs.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., March 31.

The people here decided some days as not to have any party politics in the munic pal election, which takes place next Tue day. No convention will be held, but the race is left open to all, so that whoever wishes to run may do so by making his ownouncement. There are nine officers elect and so far there are twenty-one vounteer candidates out for the places.

Polk County for Silver. BOLIVAR, Mo., March 31. — The Po County delegates to the Sedalia Demodra: State Convention were selected. The co-vention strongly indorsed Bland and Stor-and adopted 16 to 1 resolutions.

WAS AFTER BLACKMAIL

Fixing a Big Game.

beautiful sensation was spoiled Tu day morning when a Coroner's jury decided that the infant found dead in Mattle Overton's room, at 24 South Ninth street, died

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tion's room, at 24 South Ninth street, diof inanition.

The woman was arrested Monday aftenoon on suspicion of having murdered tinfant, but later developments showed the child died a natural death. The puntures in the body were made by an undtaker, who had been given charge of body before the police were notified.

Mattie Overton was discharged by the Coroner. She is a pale, unkempt woman, probably 30 years. She came from India on March 16, and two days later she secure the baby from Midwife Lixue Hotson the purpose, she declares, of obtaining money from a man with whom she had be intimate after her separation from husband, six years ago.

Found Dead in Bed.

of Linn County met here to se

Stoddard County Democrats Denou

MORE COUNTIES

HEARD FROM.

CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE. W. P. Haley, W. S. Baker, John W. Baldvin, John Cashman, T. F. Mitchum, Jos. Hughes, V. P. Hart, E. W. Stevens, Jos. Herrington, O. M. Harris.

COOPER COUNTY SPEAKS. Elects Silver Delegates and Denounces

the St. Louis Republic. cial to the Post-Dispatch. BUNCETON, Mo., March 31.-The follow ing delegates were chosen by the convention here to represent Cooper County at the Sedalia Convention: Lon V. Stephens, E. W. Moore, E. H. Harris, J. J. Devine, R. F.

The following resolutions were passed nanimously.
Resolved, By the Democrats of Cooper Resolved, By the Democrats of Cooper County, that,

First, We favor the immediate, independent, free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, without awaiting the action of any other nation, and we instruct our delegates to the Sedalia Convention to vote against the election, indorsement, ratification or approval of any person as a delegate to the National Convention who does not entertain these views. Second. We take this occasion to express our unmeasured contempt for the ville and mendacious assaults being made by the St. Louis Republic upon Gov. Stone and other leaders of the Missouri Democracy. We cannot refrain from commenting on the ever-recurring fact that for eighty-eight years the Republic has been fostered, nourished and supported by the party in the ranks of which it is now, with the desperation born of despair, using its utmost endeavors and most censurable methods to sow the seeds of dissension and discord.

most censurable methods to sow the seeds of dissension and discord.

It is evident to us that the only motive that prompts these malignant assaults, these tirades of abuse, villification and vindictiveness has its inception and consumation in the fact that the paper and the coterie of St. Louis politicians who control it are piqued and disappointed at their failure to coerce the men they now abuse into worshiping at the shrine of the golden calf. We take it to be the duty of a great metropolitan daily aspiring to the leadership of the Democracy of Missouri to uphold rather than to condemn the State administration and thereby advance the cause of the party whose principles it represents. Third. We further instruct our delegates to the Sedalia Convention to vote as unit on all questions and to vote for Stone, Bland, Cockrell and Vest as delegates at large to the National Convention.

Fourth. We further take this occasion to express our hearty approval and commendation of our State Administration. Respectfully submitted,

A. A. WALKER, Chairman.

J. R. CONWAY, Secretary.

LAFAYETTE COUNTY.

Resolutions Indorsing Free Silver Went Through Easily. odessa, Mo., March 3.—The Demo

of Lafayette County met here in convention and sent a solid silver delegation to the Sedatia Convention. Strong resolutions inthe white metal as a national cur dorsing the white metal as a national currency were adopted. The actions of Gov. Stone and Senators Vest and Cockrell upon the financial question were also indorsed. Hon, J. D. Shewalter was chosen as one of the National Delegates from this Congressional District. The meeting was one of the most harmonious ever held in this county. Following are the delegates to Sedalia: J. A. Mann, J. J. Fulkerson, W. M. Groves, W. W. Downing, J. D. Shewalter, I. P. Dayton, C. R. Creasy and Thomas M. Chinn.

BARRY COUNTY. The Democrats Are Right in Line on

the Silver Issue. SVILLE, Mo., March St.-The Der rats of this (Barry) county met here an crats of this (Barry) county met here and elected the following delegates to the State Convection: J. S. Campbell of Gennett. W., J. Bloomer of Purdy, R. G. Salyer of Golden and J. C. Baker of Cassville. The delegates were instructed for Vest, Cockrell, Bland and Stone for delegates at large and M. E. Benton and Charles H. Morgan for district delegates. The convention adopted resolu-tions in favor of the free coinage of silver et 16 to 1 and denounced the issuing of

t 16 to 1 and denounced the issuing onds in time of peace as a species of Johnerman Republicanism. FRANKLIN COUNTY. Primaries Called Which Will Instru for Silver.

County met here yesterday and issued a call for township primaries to be held April 9th to elect delegates to a county convention which will be held in Union April II, for the purpose of electing delegates to the ledals Convention. Franklie will sense illver delegation to Sense will sense illver delegation to Sense will sense illver delegation to Sense in the purpose of the purpose of electing delegates to the ledals of the ledals o

mitteeman J. W. Booth will be their choice for delegate from the Tenth District to the National Convention. Incidentally the "Republic" came in for severe criticism, and it seemed to be the opinion that the idiotic course of that paper would tend to strengthen the cause of silver in the interior of the State, and at the same time to make friends instead of enemies for Gov. Stone. STARTED WITH A HOODOO. Tenth Congressional District Republi cans Rally Thirteen Strong.

The Republicans in the Tenth Congres

sional District will have to run against goodoo when they go out to elect a Congressman this fall. A quorum of the Congressional Committe met Tuesday and fixed upon a time and

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

DEXTER, Mo., March 31.—Stoddard County had her Democratic Convention yesterday to select delegates to the Sedalia Convention. The delegates were: A. J. Thrower, W. J. Ward, J. A. Hickman and S. W. Rhodes. The following resolution was passed: place for the holding of a convention to nominate a Republican candidate for Con-gressman from the Tenth District. gressman from the Tenth District.

There were just thirteen members of the committee of twenty-one present and the thirteen sar down to dinner together when their work was over the two the two the intention that the meeting should be a secret one. With this in view the room where the Victor Skat Club meets in the rear of Val Frank's saloon at MoNair avenue and Victor street was fixed upon as a meeting place, and the word was passed around to the members of the committee.

S. W. Rhodes. The following resolution was passed:

"That the delegates from Stoddard County are hereby instructed to use all honorable means to secure a solid delegation to the National Convention at Chicago who believe in the traditional doctrine of the Demodratic party, bimetallism in the unrestricted coinage of silver and gold into standard money."

The delegates were also instructed to vote at the State Convention at Sedalis for the following named gentlemen for delegates at large to the National Convention: Bland, Stone, Cockrell and Vest.

A resolution which produced a decided sensation was the following introduced by J. L. Fort: mittee.

The Tenth District comprises the Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Thirteenth and Twenty-third Wards, and all of St. Louis County and Franklin County, and has a membership of twenty-one. The thirteen who showed up at the meeting were; Henry Bruck, Fifth Ward; Herman Stamm and John Vogel, Ninth Ward; Ernst Kretschmar and Daniel T. Stegmund, Eleventh Ward; William Hepner and Fred Kolt, Twenty-third Ward; Steines and F. W. Rauchenstein, St. Louis, County, and C. F. Gellenkamp and F. Muench, Franklin County.

The committee went into executive session, Chalrman Rauchenstein presiding. The date of the primaries was fixed at Saturday, May 2. The convention will be held at Clayton on Tuesday, May 5. A Congressman will be nominated and two district delegates selected to go to the National Convention.

The opinion prevails in the committee that Mr. Barthold will be renominated. sensation was the following introduced by J. L. Fort:

"Resolved, By the Democrats of Stoddard County, in convention here assembled, that we condemn the action of the St. Louis Republic in warfare upon our distinguished Governor, the Hon. Wm. J. Stone, as undemocratic and impolitic, and we hereby express our confidence in the Governor and pledge our undivided support in the great fight he is-making for the Democracy of the country.

The resolution went through with a whoop and was unanimous.

NEW CELLS WANTED.

Contemplated Work-House Improve ments Which Will Cost \$15,000. The Board of Public Improvements ha to build some new cells at the Work-house The money is expected to cover all expense of building, outside of that done by the masonry.

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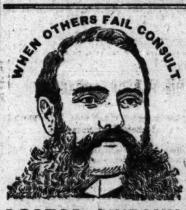
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MONUMENTS. Matthew Park's Son & Co. 822 and 824 Large Stock on Hand, and Low Prices.

IEBER—On Tuesday, March 31st, 11:30 a. m., Frank P. Bieber, Jr., aged 35 years 8 months, at family residence, 1948 Cass avenue. Funeral Tuesday, April 3d, at 2:30 p. m., from Niedringhaus Memorial.

Michael's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery, OWLING—On Sunday, Mirch 20, 1806, at 0.20 o'clock p. m., Mrs. Eliza Dowling, Mrs. Philip Rohm, Mra. Edward Hawley and Mrs. Fallip Rohm, Mra. Edward Hawley and Mrs. John McCormack.

The funeral will take place Wednesday, April 1, at 2 o'clock p. m., from family raddence, No. 1231 North Seventh atreet, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cometary, Prisends are invited to attend.

New Orleans, Philadelphia and Decatur (III.) papers please copy.

AILEY-On Monday, March 30th, at 3 p. m., Ethel A. Dalley, aged 26 years, beloved wife of Chea. V. Datley, and eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Funeral from Christ Church Cathedral, on Wednesday, 2 p. m. Interment private. New York and Pittaburg papers please copy. BAYBURN.—On Monday, March 30, Oleather Ra-thell Bayburn, infant daughter of Fenich and Mary Rayburn. Funeral Wednesday, April 1, at 2 p. m., from 5618 Cabanne avenue. Interment private.

REILLY-Monday, March 30, at 11:45 p. m., Mrs. ILLY-Monony, Bridget Relly. Funeral from family residence, 1401 North Funeral from family residence, 1401 North Street, Thursday, April 2, at 1:30

Thirteenth street, Thursday, April 2, at 1 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, the to Calvary. Cemetery. YAN BUREN—On Monday, March 30th, 11 o'clop. m., Mrs. Carrie Van Buren, aged 22 years, months, dearly beloved wife of Chas. N. Vi

VON GRAAFEILAND On Monday, March 30, 1800

1, at 2 o'clock p. m., from residence of daughter, Mrs. De Jong, No. 8009 Cass are to St. Mark's Cemetery. Funeral private. Cincinnati, Chicago and Rochester papiesse copy.

VIENHOFF—Marie Wienhoff, daughter of William A. and Delia L. Wienhoff, 2303 LaSalis street, on Monday, March 30, at 10 p. m., age 6 weeks. Burial Permits.

ha G. D. Plant, 57, St. Luke's

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President Cabanne Se Terms Himself and Secretary Richardson.

THEY HAVE NO MAGNETISM.

The Civic Pederation's Cause Worthy Enough, But the Officials Are-

Mr. J. Charless Cabanne prefers charges against himself as President of the Civic Federation and them proceeds to prove them. As a President he says he is absolutely no good on earth and his Federation side partner, Secretary L. C. Richardson, he puts in the same boat.

To their stupidity he attributes the apparent bitter failure of the Civic Federation in St. Louis to accomplish anything in the way of municipal reform.

Mr. Cabanne's frankness is charming and the candor of his own impeachment in nowise appears to affect the placid contentment of his manner. What Mr. Richardson will think of his classification along this line with even so distinguished a gentleman as the milk magnate is quite another matter.

The citizen reformer made these stultifying statements to a Post-Dispatch man, while explaining the objects of an executive meeting of a number of prominent Federation members at his home, 434 Westminstor place, Monday evening. They had gathered out there to discuss the advisability of a resuscitation of the organization.

esuscitation of the viames Peabody, the baldheaded Pooh Bah of the First District Police Court landed on their wind and was awarded the decision by Referee Walbridg the Federation has been in a comatoss condition. The knockout was almost, if no quite, fatal. It remains yet to see if the

will recover.

Mr. Cabanne will not say who were at the meeting, but wheever they were, they are in favor of keeping the Civic Federation alive, if it be possible. The resignation of the President has been before the Federation some time. At the meeting those of Secretary Richardson and Treasurer Palmer Clarkson were also handed in.

Mr. Cabanne urged their adoption, but the members prevailed on the officers to retain their positions until an effort could be made to arouse interest in the organization. A committee of five was appointed to consider a plan to place the movement prominently before the public. It is probable that the ministers of the only will be asked to keep it up and urge upon their congregations the necessity for an awakening of interest in municipal matters.

"The Civic Federation in St. Louis," said Mr. Cabanne to a reporter, "has been a failure and to my mind the explanation for it is the inefficiency of the President and Secretary. In other cities, notably Chicago, the movement has been successful. We have an organization identical with that of Chicago, and we have accomplished nothing. No enthusiasm has been aroused and I cannot but think that if the proper men had been at the head of it we would have done more.

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"This is the way I feel about it and I am willing that it should be printed. Mr. Richardson and myself did not have the magnetism and that's all there is to it.

"The Federation is in good condition financially. Only a very small sum of money is owing. The committee hope to get a large number of new members. If they succeed the present officers will step out and others more competent be put in their places."

PROSPERITY XILLED HIM. Sudden Accession of Henry Rinkel to Wealth Ruined Him.

sudden acquisition of wealth and a earnest endeavor to separate himself from I were the indirect causes of the death of Henry Rinkel of Rinkelville. He died Monday night, during a severe attack of delerium tremens.

lerium tremens.

A few years ago the sale of the Rinkel estate at Rinkelville brought Henry Rinkel a comfortable sum of money. Then his troubles began. The distilleries turned out whisky faster than he could drink it, despite his heroic efforts. A few days ago he was sent to the City Hospital to sober up, but rum had too strong a hold on his constitution for him to recover.

TOOK LAUDANUM.

The Abortive Attempt of Wm. King to Die Because of a Drunk.

William King is now in the City Hospi tal with a bad case of "that tired feeling" as a result of an overdose of laudanu which he put on top of his liquor Monday night. He was paid his salary on Naturday and proceeded to convert it into liquid refreshment of various brands and descriptions. Monday night he sobeted up a little and acquired large gobs of remorse.

He hied him to a drug store on Franklin avenue near Ninth street and exchanged his last quarter for laudanum, which he swallowed in an adjacent saloon. It made him very sick, thereby saving his life and wasting a quantity of the valuable drug. He will recover and return to his occupation of selling hats.

South St. Louis Turnverein.

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The directors of the South St. Louis Turn Verein met at Tenth and Carroll streets Monday and elected officers for the year as follows: Henry Lange, First Speaker; Henry Troll, Second Speaker; August Everman, Recording Secretary; Philip Stellar, Corresponding Secretary; W. Eckart, First Turnwarden; Fred Mueller, Second Turnwarden; Fred Mueller, Second Turnwarden; F. W. Heuer, First Cashier; A. H. Bruggermann, Second Cashier; A. H. Bruggermann, Second Cashier; Henry Ploehn, Chairman of the Board of Administration; Charles Becker, Chairman of the Executive Board; J. G. H. Meyer, Chairman of the Committee on Mental Physics; Andrew Fueger, Chairman of the Committee on Arrangementa, and William Lange, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means.

Death of Mrs. Plant. Death of Mrs. Plant.

Mrs. Martha Glein Dorthitt Plant, widow of the late George P. Plant, founder of the Plant Milling Co., died Monday at St. Luke's Hospital. The funeral services will be held at Christ Church Cathedral Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Plant was born in Pennsylvania about sixty years ago. Shomarried the late George P. Plant in 1861. The couple had one son. Clinton Locke Plant, who is now in his 22d year. The son is on his way from Europe, where he has been sojourning for the past two years.

For Bobbing a Freight Train.

Gus Brohammer, 2005 DeKalb street, and Albert Theber, employed by Brohammer, were arrested Monday. They are suspected of being implicated in the robbery of an M. & O. freight train at Forest Lawn Saturday night. John Kennedy, special agent of the M. & O., says that freight valued at 1150 was thrown from the train. The goods were carted away next day. The vehicle was tracked to 2005 DeKalb street. Brohammer, who owns the wagon, says he loaned it Saturday to two up wown men.

Wants to Succeed Dieckmann.

Anses C. Allen filed his nomination papers with Secretary Player Monday. He is a candidate for the place on the School Board left vacant by Mr. Dieckmann's resignation. He is nominated by petition. He is said to be a Democrat, but appears a candidate under the auspices of the Citisens' ticket.

A team of horses belonging to the Phos-nix Brewery ran away from Twelfth atreet and Geyer avenue and collided at Eleventh and Emmet streets with a waron owned by George Enger of 200 Oregan avenue. Twenty-five gallons of milk and six quarts of cream were spilled, but the wagon was

when He is Right Wall Off.

THEY SET THE PACE

Twenty-Seventh Ward Democrats Name a Solid Free Silver Delegation.

at Tower Grove and Hunt avenues last night the Democrats of the Twenty-sev-enth Ward nominated a 16 to 1 free silver delegation for the Sedalia Convention.

The meeting was held under the auspices of Central Committeeman John Dolan, who is also a member of the special committee in charge of the April primaries. The candidates nominated are Bernard B. Trafe, W. H., Holland and John Hefele, with N. J. Wollard, H. A. Jones and Henry Hart.

Taste, W. H. Holland and John Hefele, with N. J. Wollard, H. A. Jones and Henry Hart.

The meeting was entirely harmonious from the opening to the close with the exception of a brief but spirited tilt between Jeff Pollard and Barney Tasfe on the question of a solid free silver delegation to Chicago.

Mr. Tasfe declared that he was in favor of each Congressional district choosing its own delegates and then of the State Convention binding them all to free silver by the unit rule. Hardly had the words left Tasfe's lips before Judge Pollard was on his feet demanding that the meeting express in no uncertain terms its opposition to the view just uttered by Tasfe. Pollard's speech was wildly cheered and at its close-a resolution was adopted instructing the delegates and alternates normated to use all the means in their power if elected to Sedslia to send a solid free silver delegation to Chicago.

The ball thus started rolling in the Twenty-seventh Ward will be heard rumbling through all the other wards in the city before the week is out.

HIS PERSON ATTACHED.

Prebate Judge Welff Wants Mr. Dennis to Settle an Estate.

bate Court has issued two writs of attachment for Mr. Dennis, but no return was made, the information being that Dennis was out of town.

In May, 1891, his wife died at Kirkwood and he was appointed administrator of her estate. It consisted of bank sinck worth

and he was appointed administrator of her estate. It consisted of bank stock worth si,100 and some Kirkwood property. Judge Wood thinks the estate should have been settled within two years after he took charge of the property. The Judge thinks Dennis is triffing with the court, hence the attachments. It is claimed there are four other heirs to the property.

A Post-Dispatch reporter saw Dennis in his office Tuesday. "There is no occasion for a sensation in this matter." said Mr. Dennis. "When my wife died the property was in her name, but it was really mine. We had no children and there were no heirs. Mr. Brogs, my attorney, transacted all the business cennected with it for me and I paid but little attention to it. He died last fall and I hardly know how to conclude the matter. Two settlements have already been made and but little else remains to be done. A year ago last winter I fell on the lee on the pavement and broke my hip. For six months I was in a hospital and even now I cannot walk without crutches.

"I have written to Judge Wolff explaining I matters and am surprised at his action. I will attend to the business as soon as I can possibly get out to Clayton."

THINKS THEY ARE UNFAIR.

Postpenement of Supt. Bristol's Trial Stirs Up Judge Krum.

The Bristol investigation by the Board of Commissioners on Charitable Institutions has been deferred until April 18, at 2 o'clock p. m., the immediate cause of the post-ponement being the absence of one of the board members, Mr. L. J. Singer. Judge Krum, attorney for Bristol, indicated at the meeting what his line of action in the case would be. When the board decided it was necessary to suspend action for a time the convenience of the members and of the advisory attorney, Mr. Charles Claffin Allen, was considered.

When the date was fixed Judge Krum said that he wished the point to be noted that the convenience of Supt. Bristol had not been considered in any way. The board then hastened to ask the Superintendent if the date was convenient for him but Judge Krum, having registered his point, had no suggestions to make.

After the meeting Judge Krum said: "It looks a little unfair inasmuch as the charter says that a full, fair and impartial hearing shall be given. Now this board has preferred the charges and is going to try them While I do not say that any members are prijudiced. I do say that on the face of it if does not look as if an impartial trial could be given under the circumstances."

A SIX MONTHS' JOKE The City Charter a Dead Letter With

These Fun Lovers. The City Hall employes will perpetrate their annual April fool Joke Wednesday morning. They will be expected at their offices at 8 o'clock, but will not show up

onices at 8 octobe, but will not show up until after 8.

There is a provision in the city charter which distinctly states that all city officers shall be on duty from 8 o'clock a. m. to 6 o'clock p. m. from April 1 to October 1, and from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. from October 1 to April 1. That is what the charter says, but, in some respects, the charter cuts very little figure with city employes. Until the weather becomes more settled it will be difficult to find any one on hand before 9 o'clock, and during the base ball season there will be trany missing long before 6 o'clock in the

Fourth Christian Church Divided Against Itself.

EXPELLED MEMBERS ARE HOT They Claim That Rov. Kern Had Then

Expelled for Indulging in Innocent Diversions.



REV. W. H. KERN.

and Mrs. J. R. Drake of 2917 North Twentieth street and Miss Sarah A. Brindle of 4309 North Fourteenth street. They were all fired at one shot last Sunday morning greatly to their surprise.

No charges had been preferred against them, and they were knocked off their feet, as the saying is, when the matter was put to a vote. Here is how it occurred, as described by Mrs. Mann Tuesday morning:

"The church was crowded. People were standing in the aisles. Mr. Kern kept shouting: "Sit down, sit down, will you" and then Deacon Will Hopper got up on one end of the puipit and read from a plece of paper that we had been labored with in Christian love and tenderness for months to induce us to mend our ways, and all in vain. It was necessary for the church to take some action, and it was propesed to expel us.

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"Mrs. Kern was up in the choir. When the vote was called she leaned over and pointed her finger at Mrs. Jones and called out: "Vote, Mrs. Jones, vote!" But Mrs. Jones kept her seat and voted with us when the nees were called for.

"They wouldn't let any of us say a word, when any of the members on our side got up to say something, Mr. Kern would yell:

"Sit down! Sit down! You're out of order!"

"One of them asked Mr. Kern if he'd listen to what the Scripture said on the subject. Mr. Kern told him he was out of order.

If her father has his way the daughter will be sent to the Convent of the Good Shepherd. Miss Ella is a blonde. She is not handsome, but there is a winsomeness in her face that attracts. She is undoubtedly pure, and seems to be a girl anxious to better hersesif.

Miss Fox disappeared from home last Wednesday and a published account of her diary and actions made it appear that the girl was smitten with Wilbur Harris, an ex-minister, and member of Centenary M. E. Church South. It would appear from these statements that it was infatuation for Harris that urged the girl to leave the parental roof.

Miss Fox denies this and asserts that her father's brutality drove her from home, and Matron Harris is a witness to her story.

"Last Wednesday," said Mrs. Harris, "Ella came to me. She wanted to know some respectable place where she could obtain a room. The girl had an awful eye, It was badly swollen and black, and she told me her father had beaten her. I sent her to the Woman's Christian Home. Red tape kept her out of there and I directed her to the Woman's Training School. From there she went to the Working Girls' Home."

Ella was weeping bitterly when a Post-Dispatch reporter saw her. She said:

"Mr. Harris was kind to me, that is all. When I was younger I had to leave school and go to work. I saved enough in a year to pay for a course at grammar school. Since then I have taken up different studies and Mr. Harris helped me along. Yesterday a week my father eruelly beat me, and when he threatened to do so again, the following Wednesday. I left home. I have seen Mr. Harris since and he ursed me to return home. I have committed no sin, so what can they do to me."

Miss Fox was committed to the Convent of the Good Shepherd.

The FOX family live at Zis Cass avenue.

Une of them saked are asid on the subject. Mr. Kern told him he was out of order.

"None of us could tell what the vote was. About thirty voted with us. We have got lawyers, and I, for one, don't propose to be disgraced in any such way by a man who only came here two years ago from Cincinnati, while I've been a' member of this church for years.

"My husband and I don't like Mr. Kern: neither do Mr. and Mrs. Drake. That's all that was the matter. Mr. Kern didn't like it because we danced and played cards. Mr. Mann told him that if he could convince us that it was wrong we'd quit. Mr. Kern came around one night and talked a long time about small-oox and measles until I couldn't hold in any longer, and I told him he'd come to talk about dancing and asked why he didn't start.

"Then he said a whole lot about it. We didn't like him and we stopped paying money into his coffers. Mr. Mann paid next to the highest consribution in the church until we stopped. That was what made Mr. Kern mad, and he thought he'd get even with us.

"About two weeks ago M. M. Riner, the church clerk, wrote us that the way was open for us to come baak and confess, leaving all bitterness and acrimony behind, and that if we didn't do it wishin a certain time, the church would take action. We hadn't anything to confess, and on advice of our lawyer wrote Mr. Riner to please prefer written charges. The answer we got was that the first letter explained itself.

"We didn't know the matter was coming up until lata Saburday night and when we got out among our friends we found that the pracher add been there before us. Why there were people who voted against us whom I never laid eyes on before. It was like a packed political mass meeting.

"That's the way he's been doing. He's been holding protracted meetings ever since he's been there and getting new members in to outnumber the old ones so that he could run things as he pleased."

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Mrs. Drake was calling on Mrs. Mann while the resporter was talking with the latter, and said that Mrs. Mann's case was her own, except that her family did not dance and play cards.

Rev. Kern, who lives at 1422 Penross street, told the reporter that no one had been expelled from the church.

"These persons themselves withdrew from the church, practically," said Mr. Kern.

"They stopped attending services, except as strangers, and ceased contributing to its support. This in/itself constituted an offense and the church had merely to onicially strike their names from the roll of membership. The vote was 103 to 3, I believe.

"That letter inviting them to confess did not mean that they were to come before the church and tell of every misded they had ever done. It merely meant that they were to stand up in church and express their sorrow and willingness to henceforth adhere to the rules of the church.

Dancing and card playing had nothing to do with this, I don't believe such thing proper for members of the church I don't object to one member physica wards with another member, but I don't believe in my people dancing and playing cards with everybody and anyone.

The friends of the expelled in the church everybody and anyone.

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DRAGGED HERE TO PRISON.

Miss Fox's Father Lands Her in the

Clutches of the Pelice.

Stockman Simmons Thought They Were Entirely Too Heavy.

H. M. Simmons, a stock-raiser of Metropo ha, Ill., applied for a warrant against hi quondam partner, W. M. Gabbert, bu failed to get it.

He claimed that Gabbert took eight horse out into the country to sell. He was to get to DeSoto, but instead struck out west Simmons went after him and near Vandalis Mo., found him, with only three of the horses. The rest, Gabbert said, went to pay expenses. Simmons thought differently

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A HEART BROKEN MOTHER.

Her Bright Young Son's Mind Wrecked Through Religious Zeal

A Frightened Horse Comes Near Killing a Half-Dozen People.

LACE CURTAINS

DOMESTICS.

SECOND FLOOR

NORTH END DEMOCRATS.

The Doctrine of Free Silver Heard Marked Enthusiasm. John G. Fox forced his 17-year-old daughter. Ella, from the Working Girls' Home, 1408 Washington avenue, to the Four Couris shortly before 7 o'clock Monday morning. The streets were filled by persons going to work and a gaping, wondering crowd followed the irate parent and weeping girl. At the Four Courts Officer McCormack took charge of the girl and she is now a prisoner in Matron Harris' detention room. If her father has his way the daughter will be sent to the Convent of the Good She is. Shepherd. Miss Ella is a blonde. She is. Shepherd. Miss Ella is a blonde. She is a winsomeness.

"Oh, my heart is one is most bitter against those that loose him best."

After this outburst Mrs. Grimm, seated in her meeting was called to order the hall in her elegant home at 4163 Shenandoah street, sought relief in copious tears. Her three small children, not knowing what was trook charge of the girl and she is now a prisoner in Matron Harris' detention room. If her father has his way the daughter will be sent to the Convent of the Good She is. Shepherd. Miss Ella is a blonde. She is a winsomeness.

Too much religion obtained at a recent Too much religion obtained to be at the meeting was called to order the hall be was crowded with the Sub North End. The meet ter, Mrs. Huntington Smith, of this Mr. Griswold was born in Rutland ty, Vermont. He was educated four and afterward entered the rousiness. In 1839 he was President St. Louis, Alton & Terre Haute ra In 1844 he held a similar position onto the Mississippi. In 1871 he retire active railroad management and locs St. Louis. He accumulated large erty and his gifts to charity were cerable. The interment will take platere Haute, Ind., Thursday.

It was noticeable that the meeting was largely attended by the substantial business men of the North End.

At 8:30 o'clock the meeting was called to order by President Will Carpenter of the Forty-eighth Precinct Club, with F. J. Burghoff, editor of the North St. Louis Dispatch, in the secretary's chair. Tobacco Torture.



Forty-eighth Precinct Club, with F. J. Burghoff, editor of the North St. Louis Dispatch,
in the secretary's chair.

There were on the stand in addition to
the speakers Hon. George Gunsollis, Central
Committeeman of the Eighth Ward, and
baniel Hogan, a well-known North End
politichan and business man.

Mr. Carpenter explained the object of the
meeting. He said that the North End
was sady in need of free silver instruction, and with a view to furnishing it the
Forty-eighth Precinct Club had invited
several of the most prominent free silver
orators in the city to be present. He then
introduced the Hon. Harry M. Hill.

Mr. Hill was followed by H. S. Bogy, and
Hoa. Frank J. O'Redly, member of the
Legislature, followed Mr. Bogy.

The following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That it is the sense of this
mass-meeting of the Democrats of the
Eighth Ward that a delegation friendly to
the free coinage of silver should be sent
to the Sedalia convention, and that the
delegates to be chosen by said convention
should be sent under the unit rule and instructed to vote for no man who has not
always been and is not now an outspoken
and fearless advocate of free aliver goinage at a ratio of 16 to 1."

The meeting adjourned at 10 p. m., but
for an hour longer the members of the
two Democratic organizations fraternised
in the hall and talked free silver.

HATED BYEN UNTO DEATH.

Mrs. Bondi Nursed an Irreconcilable Gradge Against Her Family.

ZOC

201 Locust, Monday night, aged 31. He leaves a widow, a son, J. L. Griswold, proprietor of the Laclede Hotel and a daugher, Mrs. Huntington Smith, of this city.

Mr. Griswold was born in Rutland Coun-

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REFORMING THE "REFO MAYOR.

Mayor Walbridge's salary may be en-It is reported that the Taxpayers' League through its attorney will sue out a writ of injunction against the City Treasurer prohibiting that official from paying any more money to His Honor until the latter has refunded \$1,117.37 collected by him for the various times he was absent from the city during the past year on pleasure trips, political jaunts and private business, the same amount having likewise been paid to others for performing the Mayor's duties

The Post-Dispatch has ineffectually that the bosses consider it little less than made persistent demands on Mr. Walbridge to refund money collected by him alleged leadership, and appeal to the for work he never performed. He has, it people. According to their view this is seems, aligned himself with that large class of officeholders who are honest by compulsion only, and the aid of the courts is to be invoked to force him to refund those portions of his salary that he did

Our "reform" mayor having proven s reformed judicially.

THE EIGHT HOUR MOVEMENT.

The report on the eight-hour day question read at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the American Federation of Labor on March 26 was couched in the language of moderation and calculated to win public sympathy, but the action taken, looking to a general strike by the carpenters' unions of the country, seems unwise.

Are there not other methods of urging this point and gaining popular suppor that would be equally potent and less wasteful than a great strike?

After all, the people have not only to be aroused but convinced on this question. A great strike arouses, but in the nature of things it cannot convince. In the excitement and apprehension it uses, the public is in no condition to

The money that would be saved by voiding a big strike would go far towards paying the cost of bringing the question home to the people in peaceable

INSPECTION OF ELECTRIC FITTINGS. The quarrel between the Board of Un-

derwriters and the Electric Supply companies as to the inspection of electric fittings in new buildings seems to show that custom has usurped the functions of certain public officials.

How has this custom, for the Insurance Companies to inspect the electric equip-ment of buildings for the benefit of the Supply companies, grown up? It is a private arrangement to do something which ought to be done by city officials, under the law providing for the inspecildings. It is a duty that ought not to be left to private parties, to do or leave undone, as they see fit.

leave undone, as they see fit.

Sec. 717 of art. III. of the revised ordinance provides that the Commissioner of Public Buildings, or his deputies, shall sit and inspect all buildings in the city, lat are being erected or altered, and ree that all work is being done according to aw "and in manner adapted for the security thereof against fires and the safety of the occupants."

This section clearly makes it the duty

s on the part of the proper

The Sunday Post-Dispatch is great independent of the dispatch in the most notable thin ation, especially in St. Louis. Last ay's increase over the Sunday pre-

THE BALL BOLLS PASTER.

the action of any other nation, e instruct our delegates to the Sedelia Co-tion to vote against the election, sament, ratification or approval of e-son as a delegate to the National O-tion who does not entertain these view

Pettis County, in which Sedalia is lo-cated, has been claimed by the gold standard men as one in which they would certainly be able at least to divide the

Resolved. That the delegates to the State Convention, to be held April 15, be, and are hereby, expressly instructed to use their united influence to cast the solid vote of Pettis County only for such delegates to the National Convention to be held at Chicago, as are known to be personally favorable to free coinage at 18 to 1, and can be implicitly relied upon to labor honestly and faithfully for the insertion of such a plank in the national platform, as well as for the nomination of national candidates in honest ination of national candidates in honest and full sympathy with the same.

The Lafayette County Convention the Sedalia convention, instructed them to vote for Bland, Cockrell, Vest and Stone for delegates at large and for J.
D. Shewalter for district delegate, and
adopted resolutions indorsing the course
of Stone, Vest and Cockrell, and declaring for the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. This is the swelling chorus in which half the counties of the State will have oined by next Saturday.

ROUT THE BOSSES.

In his interview in Monday's Postnished convincing reasons for the abate-ment of the "favorite son" nuisance described by the Post-Dispatch a few days ago. He declared with cynical frankness that he will combine with the Republican machine bosses in the various States to defeat the acknowledged choice for President of a majority of the Republican voters of the country.

According to his estimate, McKinley will enter the convention lacking about 100 of the number of votes necessary to a nomination. Thereupon, the Platts, the Quays, the Clarksons, the Manleys, the Carters and the Cuneys, working behind the cloak of the alleged "favorite sons," will combine the field against him until they can wear out or stampede his friends, and will then concentrate on some candidate who is willing to con-

cede their terms. It will be observed that in this plan of campaign Mr. Clarkson and the other bosses utterly ignore the wishes of the ment of the people, by the bosses, for the bosses"—or, as it was once frankly expressed by an elderly New Yorker, once wealthy but now dead, "the

Post-Dispatch is no admirer of McKinley, but in the interest of decent failure at self-reformation may yet be politics it hopes to see McKinley utterly rout the bosses and smash their combine "favorite son" game is not blocked, they will have an easy method in this and all future campaigns of defeating any man who does not suit them, the people at large. They have only to set up a "favorite son" in enough States to shut him out of a majority in the convention and no majority in the convention, and no man can be nomi-nated who does not submit to their dicta-

JINGOISM IN APPROPRIATIONS.

The showing of \$30,000,000 appropriated for battleships and torpedo boats and less than \$1,000,000 for river and harbor improvement is not calculated to improve the temper of the West at this tim to reflect credit upon the present Congress. What is the matter with the Rivers and Harbors Committee and the Appropriations Committee, that they determined to ignore the interests of the West and of the great interior of

There is nothing in the constitution of either of these two committees that would seem to render necessary any such fight as the Missouri Congressmen have had to make for an increase of the beg-

garly appropriation for continuing work on the greatest river in the country. In the Rivers and Harbors Committee there are only four Eastern men out of the seventeen. Eight of its members are Western men. In the Appropriations Committee seven Eastern men are arrayed against ten from the West and

Have the Western members of these committees done their duty by their con-stituents and by the country in allowing stituents and by the country in allowing millions for a useless navy while the great arteries of commerce for the interior are clogged and useless for the purpose for which nature designed them? This winter's outburst of jingoism is likely to cost the West and South a pretty penny.

There was no doubt about how the Missouri counties would go. They have been speaking in trumpet tones through the Post-Dispatch for months.

eof against fires and the safety pants."

When Col. Morrison gets "the long clearly makes it the duty delegations of Illinois and Midings Inspector to inspect the there will be several beautiful re-

The situation in Kansas City appears to be this: The goldbug-corporation combine obtained control of the Democratic City convention on the 21st and nominated a goldbug National Bank Republican Company of the Company nated a goldbug National Bank Republican for mayor on an alleged Demo-cratic ticket. Before they could do this, they were compelled to unseat delegates regularly elected and holding election certificates signed by their swn judgea. Since accomplishing this treacherous work, they have been blackguarding the Kansas City Democrats who object to being sold out in this fashion.

MEN OF MARK.

J. Colin Forbes, the artist, will soon they were compelled to paint a portrait of ex-President Harrison. Mr. Harrison will give him daily sittings in Indianapolis.

Senator Hill devotes his leisure, while other men in Congress are absorbed in those social amusements which he deprecates, to the study of the works of William Shakspeare.

It is a pity that the hosts of a great

The great circulation of the Post-Dispatch, important at all times to the advertiser, is especially so at this time. No other paper in St. Louis can give him so many readers that are able to buy from

If Gen. Clarkson, who has been making Presidents for twenty years, does not know who is to be nominated at St. Lbuis, what prophet on this side of the Great Divide can give us anything?

Joe Manley has set up as a prophet without, perhaps, knowing any more of what the Southern delegations will do than any other man.

When Julian Pauncefote raised his 'at to the President, why didn't the President raise his 'at to Julian Pauncefote? Press and pulpit are never doing better work than when dehouncing the evils of

onest municipal government. Ice wagons will be running in St. Louis in June, and Mr. Harrison's friends do not yet despair.

A potato vine on a vacant lot is m

more sightly and healthful than a tall, wild weed.

The resolute Democrats of Missouri are right up to the mark in their resolutions.

Japanese Competition.

From the Chicago Record.

If Porter investigates accurately and impartially, he will find that the manufacturers of the United States need have no fear of Japanese competition, except indi-rectly, for their manufactured merchandise will go into the Asiatic market, where we will go into the Assuce market, where we have but little tande. The development of Japanese industry is a serious thing for England, Germany, Belgium and France, but it will be a good thing for us if wa take the proper measures to furnish the

A Bad Record.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.
There is a mild threat of an adjournm of Congress on the 2d of May. The shut cannot be put up too soon. The precongress has made a bad record, and longer it remains in session the worse its reputation be.

No Need for Tariff Tinkering.

Prom the Washington Post.

Mr. Carnegie is not worrying about the tariff. He is underbidding the English and shipping rails to Japan, and his works are all running on full time and paying

Material for a New Novel.

From the Chicago Record.

A friend comes from Albemarie County,
Virginia, to tell us that Amelie Rives married her Russian Prince Troubetskel for the
purpose of securing material for a new
novel. The Prince is a Cossack, a Nihilist

From the New York Press.

The Rev. Anna Shaw delivered an edirens on "The New Man" in San Francisco last week. For this relief much

With Six on Each Side.



Louis Dieckmann.

Louis Dieckmann was born in

MEN OF MARK,

Should Mr. Francis' efforts to break up the Democratic party in Missouri be rewarded by the temporary chairmanship of the Chicago convention, true Democrats might well apprehend that the existence of their party in the nation would be temporary.

Shakspeare.

The greatest American musical genius, Stephen C. Foster, is to have a monument at Pittsburg, his native city. Subscriptions now exceed \$5,000, and will be augmented at the National Saengerfest to be held in Pittsburg in June, at which a chorus, unaccompanied by orchestra, will sing "The Old Folks at Home."

Portugal has lost the most famous of he It is a pity that the hosts of a great national convention should come here to find that St. Louis still tolerates the costly and dangerous nuisance of overhead wires. They will go home and tell it.

Portugal has lost the most ramqus of new modern poets—Joso de Deus. In 1862 he for a short time became editor of a newspaper at Bejs, but returned later to his native town, in the Algarve province, where he became a candidate for parliament and tell it.

Anderson, Ind., claims to have the oldest clock peddler in the United States. Henry Whitmore of that city, now in his nineticth year, came to Indiana in 1946 and for many years peddled clocks in that and adjacent States. In those days a clock paddler was a welcome visitor even mere, for, besides his wares, he asseminated news and good stories.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Jezebel the Queen of Ahab, according to one of the rabbis, had "black eyes that were set on fire by hell."

Mrs. Alice E. Cram, a Boston contractor, has secured the contract for supplying 40,000 tons of stone to be used in elevating the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad in Boston. There were dozens of other bidders.

Modjeska, who is spending a few days in Chicago, en route to her California ranch, has recovered somewhat from the grave illness which prostrated her in Cincinnati several weeks ago, but she is still emaciated. She will probably never appear on the stage again.

Mrs. Sarah Simpson of Rollings, Ky., has died, aged 26, probably the oldest person on the pension rolls in Kentucky, having been born the first day of the week, the first day of the month and the first day of the year of this century. For eighty-three years she had been a member of the Methodist church.

The "After the Theater Club" of the Marchioness of Salisbury, in London, is a great success, and the most original social depart-ure of the British matron in a long time. It has just fitted up apartments in St. Mar-tin's Court, where the social elect come after he play to lounge and chat and sup and take their ease in their own inn.

THE NEWEST JOKES.

Driven to Bay—A.: I knew your father, the old soap-boiler, very well. Parvenu: Ah, yes; soap-boiling was one of his hobbles.—Tag-

Bob: Say, ain't you going to stand treat? I thought you had money to burn. Dick: I should have if you would furnish the draft. Boston Transcript.

A Practical Test.-Mr. Hobbs: Dear, this paper says sewing is to a woman what whistling is to a man. "Is that so? Well, here, take little Dick's trousers and whistle a couple of patches on them while I so to the

matines.—Chicago Record.

A correspondent writes: "A young man should never atand between the hall lamp and the glass in the front door when kissing his girl good-by. It casts reflections on—the door, and keeps the neighbors across the street up late hours watching the performance."—Bloomington Eye.

The Rest is History.—"Don't you want semebody to carry water for the elephant?" asked one of the boys who were hanging about. "No, my son," replied Noah, looking out of the window in the ark at the clouds overhead. "We are going to have pienty of water pretty soon."—Chicago Tribune.

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tion.

The most bitter primary election contest ever held in this city took place in the Third Ward in selecting delegates to the City Convention and the "Straight Democratic Delegation" won by a pronounced majority. It was known as the "Fleming Delegation." The opposition ticket was known as the O'Neili-La Force-Rosselle Delegation, and notwithstanding that the ward was invaded by non-resident manipulators and fixers in the interest of this ticket, it was defeated.

When the convention met on the morning

and fixers in the interest of this ticket, it was defeated.

When the convention met on the morning of the first a contest was filed by the defeated delegation, although their representatives upon the board of judges and clerks had all certified to the election of the regular ticket. The Committee on Credentials recommended in its report that nine of the defeated delegation be allowed seats in the convention and ex-Mayor Cowherd explained that this concession was made in the interest of "harmony."

The regular delegates, under the leadership of Mr. Julian, opposed this settlement of the question and maintained that the regular delegation only was entitled to represent the Democracy of the Third Ward in that convention.

The report of the Credentials Committee was adopted by a vote of 76 to 38, whereupon the regular delegates who favored the nomination of a straight Democratic ticket withdrew from the hall and the convention proceeded to nominate a Republican, Henry C. Kumpf, as the Democratic candidate for Mayor.

These are the exact facts of the case and furnish no basis for the editorial in the Republic. In order that the truth may be known, the writer, who was a member of the regular delegation elected from the Third Ward to the late City Convention, takes this method of placing the facts before the Democracy of the State.

rrom the Third ward to the late City Con-vention, takes this method of placing the facts before the Democracy of the State. So far as Mr. F. W. Fleming is con-cerned he was not a candidate for a dele-gate and was not a member of the con-

The Democracy of the Third Ward of Kansas City stands now, as it has for years, for straight Democracy as a mat-ter of principle and not combinations and

ter of principle and not combinations and alliances with the enemy for the purpose of speils. Respectfully,

H. C. NELSON,

Member Straight Democratic Delegation,

Third Ward. Kansas City, Mo., March 29, PRETTY BUSINESS WOMEN.

Miss Fannie Loomis. Miss Fannie Loomis, assistant in the millinery department of a targe Broadway dry goods house, was born and educated in Chicago. She is a close student in her



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From the Nevada (Mo.) Mail. Saturday was silver day in Mi





An Ankle Bangle.

After dressing a tender chicken rossit before the fire, or in a very hot oven, se soning it with salt, pepper and buttenders chop them very fine and rub the through a colander with a potato mash Grate the yellow rind of two or three to oranges and free the pulp from seeds at the white membrane surrounding the settings. Mix the giblet-puree with the oran pulp and julee, to form a sauce for the rosphicken, and serve it cold.

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one of its wires to burn in two and the ground? If so, let's have the of such Judges. ises. The law says he is by nature of gerous to human life, and therefore, must at my own peril see to it that he har no one who is lawfully on my premises. Here, though, is a cerporation that dess even own she ground on which it introduce or brings, for profit, an element that is dataking the lives of innocant beings! far as danger to human life is concerned to dog isn't a circumstance to the deadly with under which we walk in constant peril. There is hardly a day passes but the Post-Dispatch chronicles the death some one caused by contact with live wire

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If You Wish to Be Well.

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Never breathe through your mouth. It unction in the breathing exercise is throw of cashonic acid. It is the business of the hose to strain the air and pass oxygen

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE. How can I keep my head free from de

On a tract of land belonging to me are situated two mineral springs. A too copious of continual use of the waters affects the human system very much like calomei. What substance in the water probably causes the ame? Said waters have cured cases of coute dyspepsia and are diuretic and diagnostic the substantial substa

nitely what the ingredients of the waters are, and that is consult a chemist and have an analysis made. The effects mentioned may be due to sodium, magnesium or other

As a result of mental overwork I some-times suffer from nervous headache. Will you kindly print a remedy? The effervescing preparation of hydrobro-mate of caffeine is usually heneficial in such cases. Take a feaspoontal or two as

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE. on the street, at the hotel, club, etc. ing: "Well, I confess, I do not k ing: "Well, I confess, I do not k ing: to 1 silver question, in favor of sound money. campaign war cry should be expr

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I read your editorial on the decision the Court of Appeals in the Frauent case. Can it be possible that the learn court held that it is not negligence on part of the Laclede Gas Light Co. to person of the wine of the part of the court held. Loyal to Their Faith.

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NEWERS TO COL

T. J. P. P.

HER NAME SHOULD BE MISSOURI

Strong Reasons Why This State Should Bear Naval Honors.

DUE TO HER AGE AND WEALTH

Business Men Enthusiastically Second the Efforts of Congressman Cobb in the Matter.

One of the four new battleships should be hamed the Missouri. Congressman Cobb is laboring with Secretary of the Navy Her-bert to satisfy him that this State should receive recognition. The Eleventh District Congressman has hopes of success and he also has the hearty support of representa-tive St. Louisans. This latter fact was strongly impressed upon the mind of a Post-Dispatch reporter, who interviewed many of tham.

many of them.

Some thought that one of the sea monsters should be called St. Louis, but to this there are several objections. Not the least is that the law requires battleships to be named after cities.

The gentlemen who were seen were enthusiastic over the idea that Missouri may be the title of a floating fortress which will send 1,000-pound shots a distance of seven miles, teach the Monroe Doctrine with emphasis and in other ways help the eagle to hold its place in the international zoological garden. The unanimous opinion was that Missouri was not only deserving of the honor sought from the Navai Department because it ranks fifth in the gaixay of States, but because it has sons with enough brains, brawn and courage to man an entire feet.

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but because it has sons with enough brains, brawn and courage to man an entire fleet.

I. D. Bascom, who was the prime mover in the successful effort to have an Atlantic liner called St. Louis, said: "It is a captual idea to have a battleship named after Missouri. This State ranks fifth and she should be carried to the extremes of the sarth, and become a symbol of power abroad as she is an admitted force at home. The business men of the State should do ell they can to assist Mr. Cobb."

Goodman King, who was one of the committee who attended the launching of the St. Louis, said: "Missouri certainly deserves the honor of having one of the battleships named after her. Her wealth and population and her age as a State entitle her to recognition. Other commonwealths with less claims than Missouri have been honored by having warships named after them, and Missouri should not be longer neglected. Id on not see exactly now Mr. Cobb can be assisted by the people of St. Louis or of the State, and I believe that he will do all in his power to eccomplish his purpose. However, should he intimate that assistance would be beneficial the business men of St. Louis will leave no stone-unturned to belphim. If a battleship is named after Missouri and I wairsouri can be a battleship will leave no stone-unturned to belphim. If a battleship is named after Missouri the State, and I believe that the will do all in his power to eccomplish his purpose. However, should he intimate that assistance would be beneficial the business men of St. Louis will leave no stone-unturned to belphim. If a battleship is named after Missouri and I warrant you that she will feel."

W. T. Anderson: Name a battleship Missouri and I warrant you that she will be an honor to our navy. Missouri has citizens enough to man a war vessel from Captain down. They have the courage, the brains and the patriotism of heroes. I have no doubt material for a complete battleship could be found within the borders of this State. I say three cheers for Mr. Cobb and his effort to

for Mr. Cood and his effort to have also bourt honored.

Hon. Charles Nagel: Every Missourian is anxious to see Mr. Cobb succeed in his affort to have one of the four new battle-thips named after this State. He de-serves the encouragement of all citizens and Missouri is certainly entitled to the

who an anisouri as tertainly entitled to the honor.

W. G. Boyd: As Missouri is the fifth state in wealth and population, she is entitled to the honor of giving her name to one of the nation's leviathan defenders. Her citizens are in favor of a dignified assertion of the country's honor whenever occasion demands and we want to be known to the world through the medium of a roving man-of-war as well as in other ways.

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J. B. Case: Missouri is second to none of her sisters in the arts of peace or of war, and the citizens of this State should do all they can to second Mr. Cobb's efforts. I am in favor of any public action that will help him.

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Col. Fordyce: Arkansas is my home, but I think one of the new battleships should be named Missouri. Our modernized fleet will not be complete until it has a monster named the Missouri, ready to meet anything afloat.

Wells Blodgett: I am a Missourian, born, and bred, and I want to see the State represented in the navy by a battleship that will be unexcelled.

John Scullin: I favor anything that will advertise the State to the end of the world and I thinnk a battleship is one of the best means with which to carry on the good work. The State deserves the honor which Congressman Cobb is seeking and the citizens should find out how they can help him and then give him all the aid they can.

Ex-Gov. E. O. Stanard: Missouri ranks high as a State and she should have one of the new battleships named in her honor. If there is any way that Congressman Cobb can be assisted by the public of this State and city, I am for prompt action.

T. B. Boyd: Congressman Cobb deserves the aid and backing of every Missourian and especially of all the citizens of the State's metropolis in his effort to get a warship named for this grand old commonwealth. I suppose that the Secretary of the Navy has the deciding voice in the matter of naming the ships. The citizens should learn how they can aid Mr. Cobb and then set about doing their part.

J. M. Spencer, President of the Merchants' Exchange: Missouri should have a battleship in the first line of the navy. One of those new battleships should be ours and she will be ours if the citizens will assist Mr. Cogg by getting after the Secretary of the Navy. The other Congressmen of the State should be an listed in the good work.

William Thompson: President Bank of Commerce: The project to name one Wells Blodgett: I am a Missourian, born

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tures often accomplished after tines and even physicians' preons had failed to do any good what ever. Merit has given Hood's Sarsaparilla gest laboratory on earth. Merit has made

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Hood's Pills assist Direction and cure

hopes of the citizens who interested themselves in the matter. We keep a scrap-book of references made so the ship by Continental papers and we find that the name St. Louis causes frequent mention of the city itself, its history and advantages. The city has been splendidly advertised by the ship and MAN AND MONBY GONR

Warren B. Sexton of Kansas City Meurned by Creditors.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March II.—Warren B. Sexton, general manager of the dafunct Sexton Security Company, has disappeared. He left a letter addressed to his brother, He left a letter addressed to his brother, Edgar P. Sexton, Vice-President of the company, stating that several thousand dolars of the company's funds, which he had taken, had been lost in wheat gambling. He took with him a large sum of money that he had collected for different persons for whom he acted as rental agent. The actual amount of his defalcation is not known. Five years ago Sexton invested \$18,000 of his mother's money in the investment company. The company made a great splurge in local financial circles, and it handled vast quantities of other people's money. It falled February last with \$100,030 liabilities and practically no assets. An examination of the books shows crooked entries made by Sexton to cover up his shortage.

It is believed Sexton is in California: He leaves a wife. His pareuts are prominent people of Detroit, Mich.

Easter Cards. Easter Cards. 5 cents to \$5.00. 5 cents to \$5.00. The Latest Novelties. The Largest Assortment. The Lowest Prices.

MERMOD & JACCARD'S, BROADWAY, COR. LOCUST ST. Special discounts to Sunday-school tea

MARRIED HER UNCLE.

He Is 77 and Miss Lotta Newport Is

but 22. Special to The Post-Dispatch.

LYONS, N. Y., March 31.—Miss Lotta Newport, 22, who for three months has been

keeping house for her uncle by marriage, Dennis McKinney, has married him. The bridegroom is 77 years old, and has children old enough to be the parents of the bride. He says he is a stronger man to-day than nine-tenths of the youngsters of this generation. The recording of the mar-riage notice has created a sensation. Owl Car Time Table.

Gall at Post-Dispatch office and get a time-table of the owl cars on every street car line in the city; in convenient form for the vest pocket.

DETECTIVE MURPHY'S COLD. After All, It Is Better Than Having

Hydrophobia.

ELIZABETH, N. J., March 31.-Detective Dan Murphy of the Central Railroad is toting on a twelve-foot fence for three hours in the rain yesterday morning. He had occasion to enter the grounds of the New occasion to enter the grounds of the New Jersey Jockey Club, when he was suddenly attacked by two feroclous buildogs belonging to Keeper McCready of the club. They chased him to the fence and were at his heels while he was vainly trying to scale the obstacle. Finally he hooked his umbrella to the top of it and went up the umbrella hand over hand, just as one of the dogs bounded up after him. He was compelled to remain perched there until some one passed by, as there was a steep embankment on the outside of the fence. He was rescued by a milkman with a ladder.

For the Home and Farm.

The Post-Dispatch Almanac for 189 abounds in useful information for the he wife and farmer. Full reports of the experiments made by the Government agri-cultural stations are among the features of this encyclopaedic yearbook. 500 pages, 1,-000 topics, 10,000 facts. Thirty pages are de-voted especially to St. Louis. Price 25

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BALTIMORE, Md., March 31.—The garment workers of this city, who have been on strike for five weeks, declared the strike off last night, and will return to work if they can get their places back. Over 6,000 persons have been out, the strike having been ordered under the sanction of the American Federation of Labor, of which the strikers were members. The Knights of Labor did not go out, and the strike ultimately resolved itself into a war between the rival labor organisations. Every Saturday \$:00 p. m., Pullman Tourist Sleeping Car, St. Louis to Los Angeles, Cal., without change via Prisco Line and Santa Fe Routa in which second-class tickets are accepted. Ticket Agent Frisco Line, No. 101 North Broadway, St. Louis, will furnish full particulars.

Ten Thousand Dollar Guarantee That Genell's of 923 Olive street is the

only thoroughly first-class studio in St. Leuis. Fine platinum and crystoltype cabinets, \$3; carbons, \$14. One dollar cabi-Promoted by Pace.

JEFFERSON CITY, March il.—Warden James L. Pace of the Penitentiary filled the vacancy occasioned by the death of Deputy W. H. Bradbury by advancing each man in the line of promotion one peg. Thus the officers stand: Deputy Warden, Capt. William M. Todd; Assistant Deputy, Capt. Jas. B. Tolin; Yardmaster, John W. Moore.

Your Last Opportunity To obtain one of those magnificent sets of the American Encyclopaedic Dictionary at special introductory prices. See advertise-ment.

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The New Easter Shoes Wednesday \$1.39

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On Sale 8 to 9 a. m. TOWELING Hinch

GINGHAMS—Extra sood quality bine and white checked Apron Ginghams, worth Sie a yard; during above hour, per yard ... 32C satesn, black, white and high colors, worth lot to Zc a yard, during above hour (in basement).

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BOYS', WAISTS, fine CURTAINS—800 odd lace
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yards long and 80 inches wide
—slightly imperfect—worth up
to \$1.75 a pair regularly,
while they last, during
above hour (second 25c

On Sale 9 to 10 a.m. Wednesday.

EMBROIDERIES—another other lot of those Colored Embroideries in red, blue, pink, may, etc., worth up to 200 a yard; during shove hour, on second floor, where we have room for the crowd, 5C at

LACES—Exact imitations of the real Torchon Laces, up to 6 inches wide—beautiful patterns—worth 5c hour, per yard, during above 5c

BUTTERMILK SOAP-8 CAKES IN box—regular 25c sort; during above hour, 5c

LINING—Best quality (Simpson's) Rust-ling Taffeta Skirt Lining—reg-ular 20c quality; during above hour (second floor), per yard 7 2 C DRESS TRIMMINGS—Jet and Silk Gimp Dress

HANDKERCHIEFS-LA

and Men's fine large size Piain White and Colored Bor-der Hemstitched Handker-chiefs-slightly imperfect, but worth up to 18c each, luring above hour (2d 4C

BATISTES—36 - inch solid colored Battstes, in light-blue, pink and red, worth lice yard, during above hour, thasement), per yard 5c

GLOVES—Ladies' Real Rid broidered backs—i large pearl buttons—black, tan and brown, good value at \$1.25, during above 65C



On Sale 9 to 10 a. m. On Sale 10 to 11 a. m. Wednesday.

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"Because the more you lick it the



On Sale 10 to 11 a. m.

DOYLIES-Hemstitched INDIA LINEN-Very finest INDIA LINEN-Very finest Striped India Linen, worth 20c a yard—during above hour. 9C per yard VIOLA CREPE in Red. (Basement), per yard (uring above hour 12 (Basement), per yard (Indian), per yard (In

GLOVES—Ladies' Pure Silk tan, brown and evening shades (a mixed lot, not more than 1 or 2 pair of a kind), worth up to 75c a pair, during above.

of these articles for 100:

A 25c Galvanized Iron Scrub
Pail.

A 25c Japanned Sugar Box, capacity 54; pounds.

A 25c Heavy Tin Oil Stove Tea
Kettle.

8 Oblong Bread Pans, worth 25c
A 25c 2: gallon Coal Oil Can.

A 3-piece set Ladies' Steel Garden Tools.

A 60-foot best Cotton Clothes
Line. sleeves, egular price 59c A 60-foot best Cott Line.
above hour, each 59c A 25c Garden Rake.



On Sale II to 12 Noon, BUTTONS-1,000 dosen PERCALES-Extra good

SHAMS-Her Shams, full sizes, regu-larly 60c a pair, during 21c above hour per pair. DRAWERS—Ladies' fine and Cambric Drawers, with deep embroidered ruffle, res. 25C ular 50c quality, during 25C above hour (2d floor)... RUGS—100 80x60-inch Floor colors, worth 11.00 each — 69c (second floor) each — 69c TABLE CLOTHS-Very Quality, All-Linen, Bleached Hemstitched, Center - Patters Table Cloths, 24 varie

On Sale 10 to 11 a. m. DRESS 60008-An 8-yard pattern 36-inch Black Brocaded Mohair Suit-



On Sale 2 to 3 p. m.

HAIR CLOTH Best qua Hair Cloth—will answer every purpose of the Sc goods. during above hour. (second floor) per yard ... 5C

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HAVE A NEW PIECE IN YOUR HOUSE

Fresh Fads and Fancies.

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See Us. Our Spring Stock Is Here.

DELL DE FOREST INSANE.

Her Life Is in Peril

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 81.—Dell De Forest,

Whirlwind" dance, is in the Amityville

Asylum, laboring under the hallucination that her life is in peril from people who are trying to chloroform her or poison her by means of her food. Her condition was brought about by several agencies, in which a drug used for bleaching the hair is said to form an important part. Miss de Forest is scarcely 26 years old.

Mrs. Stockton Expelled.

Special to the Fost-Dispatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 31.—Mrs.

M. A. Stockton, who was one of the prominent figures in the recent scandal involving Rev. C. O. Brown of the First Congress tional Church, has been expelled from the Church. Mrs. Stockton wrote a caustic leter of resignation to the deacons of the church after the verdict in the Brown trachurch after the verdict in the Brown trachurch of the committee expelled her without

church after the but she committee expelled her but she committee expelled her beeding the letter.

Coughs.—Brown's Bronchial to will allay the irritation which coughing, giving immediate relial. In boxes. Price 25 cents.

THE same applies to many poorly made soaps—the more you use them the faster they go; and about the only other thing that goes is the colors in the goods washed with them. In this they differ very much from WM. WALTKE & CO.'S EXTRA FAMILY SOAP, which does not wash away fast, owing to its perfect make, but it makes the dirt go faster than most laundry soaps in the market, does not injure clothes nor cause their colors to run. To all of

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DECORATIVE PLANTS in

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2:45 a. m.

this thousands of families can testify who are using it and have used it for over thirty years. To guard against worthless imitations look for this mark, which is stamped on every genuine bar:

ST. LOUIS, MO.

Mrs. R. Robsin, a lady of 43 years

of age, residing at Perrysville, O.,

says, September 13, 1895:

alive to-day. I looked like a

"Any one who saw me about six

ghost, and I couldn't eat or sleep

I had chronic indigestion, was

dizzy about all the time. Medicine

about Ripans Tabules, so I bought a

better from the first dose. Now !

package at the drug store. I got

am able to do all my housework

did not help me any. I spent so

much on doctors I was clear discouraged. A neighbor told me

on account of having malaria so bad.

"She told me we had but to speak And give small payments by the week? I'd often heard, but never thought That good things could be cheaply bought. We went, where like the tropic sum Lights guided buyers one by coe. We saw McNitchol and his store— Surprised each moment more and more."

SAVED-AND BY HIMI THE ONLY MONICHOL

"Well, boys, you talk of being blue, I think I'll just lay over you; The day came when my heart and hops Were crushed, and by an envelope—On Saturdar—yes, late at night—The lucky tickets were in white; But wes unto the luckless chap To whom came yellow's thunder-clap!

THE ONLY M'NICHOL



OAL II.

OUR HAMS and BREAKFAST BACON are ealected and cured in this city with the greatest care and attention, and we guarantee them to give eatisfaction. If your groopy does not keep OUR BRAND OF HAMS, notify us, and we will give you the address of one that does.

See that the above brand is on the Ham, Other hams are sometimes soid as ours.

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GRATEFUL-COMFORTING EPPS'S COCOA BREAKFAST-SUPPER.

and simply with boiling water or milk, Sold only in half-pound tins, by Grocers, labeled thus: JAMES EPPS & CO., Ltd., Secrement



AMUSEMENTS

STANDARD .. TO-NIGHT SAM T. JACK'S BLUEBEARD CO. acluding Evan Lewis, the Strangler, who offer 25.00 to any man he cannot throw in 15 mir

Next week-Frank Rider's Night Owls Co. GRAND OPERA-HOUSE, THE 20TH

CENTURY CIRL 50c.

"We had a little money saved— For Home was what I always craved; 'And is that all!' she said, and smiled, Just petting me like some weak child. 'Oh. Dick, don't give away like this," 'We'll have our Home—I know a plan— And just the place, and just the man!' Sunday, April 5th-LOIE FULLER. Monday, April 6th-FRANCIS WILSON. GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-EXTRA

> FRANCIS WILSON and COMPANY Engagement will begin Monday, April 6. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thurs-ay nights, SIR ABTHUR SULLIVAN'S Succeastul Comic Opera,
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> THE CHIEFTAIN.
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> Priday and Saturday nights and ONLY MATINER SATURDAY, the Pamous Burisque

THE MERRY MONARCH

Saturday Mat.....THE HUSBAND Saturday Night....CORSICAN BROTHERS Sunday, April 5.—Rice's Little Christopher.

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Mathese Thursday and Saturday.
Next Sunday—Jas. J. Corbett in a Naval Cases. EXPOSITION MUSIC HALL. GRAND OPERA

Under the direction of Henry E. Abbay and Marice Grau, from the Metropolitan Opera House, no Monday Might, April 6—Romeo et Juliette.

Mine. Melba, Mine Clara Bunt. Aile. Bauerfacis.

ter, MM. Bd de Resuka, Plancon, Maugniere, De
Vries, Castellmary, De Vaschetti, Rinaldini and Jean
de Bestke. Conductor, Signor Berrigani.

Tuesday, April 7—Carmen.

Mme. Calve, Mile. Banermeleter, Since. Van Cauere and Lois Seith, MM. Lubert, De Vries, Desapres, Carbons, Rinaldini and Signor Ancommunication, Signor Bevignani.

Thursday Evening—Double Bill.

Ipolatic and Mad Scone from Lucia of Laurence
nes. Helta. Yan Cauteren, Scalcht,
iter, Signora Cremonial, De Vaschetti,
didisi, Ceramon, Onscionary and Victor Friday Evening—Labong rin (in Serman).

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am de Remine. Conductor, M. Zenin Shar.

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myself. I tell everybody to use Ripans Tabules and save Ripans Tabules are sold by druggists, or by mail the price (30 cents a box) is sent to The Ripans shemical Company, No. 10 Spruce st., New York, ample vial, 10 cents. ONNOISSEUR HAVANA CIGAR: SWALL GIRL'S COURAGE.

The "Whirlwind" Dancer Thinks That | The Burglar Struck Her, but She Had The Outter Silk Manufacturing Co. Forced to the Wall.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March SI.—The courage of little 13-year-old Fanny Lipschitz, of No. 57 Division street, was the cause of Frank Kesler, an alleged thicf, being held in \$12,000 ball yesterday. He is charged with having entered the apartments occupied by Mr.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., March SI.—The Cutter Silk Manufacturing Co., of West Bethlehem, made an assignment to-day to ex-Postmaster John Flohd of Philadelphia. The failure is a heavy one as the company is capitalised at \$50,000 and has in addition a bonded indebtedness of \$100,000.



little 13-year-old Fanny Lipschits, of No. 57 Division street, was the causa of Frank Kesler, an alleged thief, being held in \$2,000 hall yesterday. He is charged with having entered the apartments occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lipschits and stealing goods to the value of \$72 Sunday night. The girl saw him and he ran. She pursued and was hit by the man, but ran until she found a policeman and had him arrested. DISTRESSING Excursion, April 7.

The Missouri, Kannas & Texas Railway
Co. offer very low rates to points in Missouri, Kannas, Indian Territory and Texas,
on this secusion. For particulars call at 103
North Broadway or Ticket Office, Union

BILLY CHRISTY'S NEW POSITION

Appointed Track Superintendent at the Fair Grounds.

THE INAUGURAL WEIGHTS.

Much Speculation Among Local Turfites as to the Probable Starters-Ben Brush's Heavy Impost.

Wm. C. Christy, the St. Louis turfman s been appointed track superintendent the Fair Grounds and will take charge Vednesday, with headquarters at the track. Wednesday, with headquarters at the tack.
Last year W. G. Harding, a nephew of Gen.
W. H. Jackson, the well-known Tennessee
breeder, was in charge of the track. Christy
succeeded Edward Martin last fall as official
timer at the Fair Grounds. Christy is connected with one of the best families in St.
Louis and has been on the turf for many
years.

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Annie Race, First Chance and other well-known Western performers have raced in his colors. First Chance has had very bad underpinning for the last year or two, and Christy made quite a record for himself by the clever manner in which he patched up the old cripple and kept him on his feet long enough to win several good races.

Capt. White has conditioned the inner track and Christy will commence work on the big course at once. He expects to have it faster than ever this season and will make a special effort to get it in good shape in time for the Inaugural handicap.

The very cream of the Western handicap division will meet in this valuable event, and if the conditions are favorable Christy is confident it will be run in fast time. Besides having charge of the track Christy will be given control of the stabling room. He lives near the Fair Grounds and will be at the service of horsemen at all times.

Since the Inaugural weights were an-

Since the Inaugural weights were announced the local talent have been figuring on the recent performances of three of the most promising candidates for the big Fair Grounds event. Buck Massie, a St. Louis owned horse, took up 120 pounds at New Orleans Saturday and romped a mile in 1:43%. There was nothing behind him but a lot of cheap platers, but the race was a good one from a time standpoint. Lady Inex performance in the Arkansas derby was also creditable. She went the mile in 1:43% with 115 up, and won handlily. It was a good race, considering that the track was at least a second slow. Besides it was the filly's first race this season.

Libertine, who is in the Inaugural at 120, negotiated seven furlongs at 'Frisco Monday in 1:27%. Bellicose and George Miller chased him out.

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The probable starters in the Inaugural are hard to pick right now. Pat Dume has two entered, and if he thinks he can win with either Patrician or Free Advice, Flying Dutchman will hardly start. Buck Massie, Libertine, O'Connell, Simon W., Magnet, Cash Day and one of the Charter Oak pair, Sumo or Linda, will surely start. There are so many lightweights in that it is hard to guess just which of them are most likely to go to the post. Schreiher has four entered, namely. Highland, Don Carllio, Bertha and Schiller, and at least one of them will surely fun for his money.

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one of them will surely run for his money.

Ben Brush is given about as severe an impost in the Inaugural as was ever allotted a 3-year-old in any all-aged handicap to be run so early in the spring. Ducat was of little account last season, but if he should happen to get back some of the form he showed in 1894, when he ran a mile in 1.39 around the Coney Island track, the Dwyer colt would have an up-hill race giving him weight, as he has been asked to do by the augural handicapper. Gov. Sheehan is smother horse that was hardly treated fair. He won a few fair handicaps at the Fair Grounds last fall and wound up the season by winning a good race at New Orleans, but these performances were not good enough to ask him to give weight to Logan, Henry Young and Urania. The latter ransecond to Libertine in last year's Inaugural. Forget was the best 2-year-old in the West last fall. She ran a mile in 1:40% at the Fair Grounds. Notwithstanding this race, Lady Inez is asked to give her four pounds. Donation, Forget's stable companion, is in at §1. This would indicate that Forget was only four pounds the best, when as a matter of fact Donation would have little chance to beat Forget doing anything at any weights.

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Chris Smith, the little plunging-owner of the once powerful Kendall stable, has spent the winter at Hot Spsings, while his horses took matters easy and Memphis. The death of his bread-winner Maid Marian was a staggering blow to Smith, coming as it did after the retirement of Yo Tambien, the greatest thoroughbred that ever raced in his colors. Urania, Handspun and Prince Carl are all that Smith has left of the famous string that used to include Van Buren, Ohio Belle, Dollie McCone, Forest Rose, Ceverton and other cracks, Maid Marian and Yo Tambien were two of the most consistent horses ever seen in the West. Smith and the public could bet on them with every degree of confidence. Urania and Handspun are two good mares, but they will never prove as valuable to Smith as Yo Tambien and the dead Maid Marian.

AT SAN FRANCISCO .- O'Fleta, Alme



THE BARS OF HEALTH once down, disease finds an easy en-

trance.

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BASE BALL GOSSIP.

oley Falls in Line—Problematical Condition of the League Teams. Condition of the League Teams.

There is a dearth of base ball news at present, but in another week the National League clubs will emerge from the South and things will begin to hum. Reportis of the preliminary practice are varied and contradictory, and it will not be until the reason is well under way that the true strength and weakness of the various clubs can be estimated. Just now it looks like Philadelphia, Boston or Baltimore would start in the best shape. All these clubs wisely selected training quarters nelther too far South nor too far North, and consequently have avoided the colds and stiffness due to climatic changes. At Hot Springs Cleveland and Pittsburg have not done very well, many of the players being laid up with sore arms and lame backs. The same complaint comes from New Orleans, where the Reds are, and from Texas, where the Browns and Anson's men have been thawing out. In Florida the weather has treated the Glants no better, and so k goes through the entire calendar. Washington has made no Southern trip and the chances are that the Senators will begin the season in as good condition as any of their rivals. In all probability the first month will see the youngsters show up the best, as the veterans seldom settle down to work until the warm weather comes to stay.

With the exception of Tommy Dowd the Browns have all signed. Dick Cooley drifted into town Monday and lost no time in setting into the fold. He will receive \$1.50\$, which is fair compensation for a fielder, even such a good hitter as Cooley. It required no argument to secure Dick's autograph, as he came with his mind fully made up to sign. With Dowd in line the Browns, such as they are, will be complete, and there is little doubt that he will cause no trouble.

Cooley and Brettenstein will not go South, but will practice at the park until the team returns. Both are in splendid shape, and April 16 will find them both ready. Morgan Murphy is expected along about next week. His health is mending rapidly.

AMONG THE PUGS.

Everhardt Beat Leeds-Tom Tracey Won-St. Louis Amateurs Not In It At Maspeth, L. I., last night Jack Everhardt defeated Horace Leeds, after a desperate fight of fifteen rounds. It was anybody's fight until the knockout blow was delivered. For the first ten rounds Leeds had the best of it and Everhardt was preity lucky to land when he did. The knockout blow was a light one, but Leeds was so weak that he did not recover for several minutes. Some alarm was felt on account of his prolonged unconsciousness, but he eventually came around all right.

Tim Hurst acted as referee. Several pre-liminary bouts preceded the event of the evening.

In London, Monday night, two corking bouts were pulled off and an American won in both instances. Tom Tracey, who acknowledged St. Louis as his home for about a year, had no trouble in defeating Tommy Williams of Australia. It took Tracey just thirty-five seconds to take Williams' measure.

ure.

Before the National Sporting Club Billy Smith of Boston defeated Bill Husbands of London for a purse of \$3,000.

The St. Louis amateur pugs who went to Detroit expecting to sweep all before them were saidy disappointed. William Brennan succumbed in one round and John Kane was a mark for a Louisville amateur named Willia.

EXHIBITION GAMES.

The Browns Continue to Beat the Texans-Pittsburg Won.

By a lucky bunching of hits in the first

"The Wizard" Played Brilliantly, and

the Frenchman Was Nervous.

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The first game of the big triangular billiard tournament was played at New York it last night. Schaefer and Garnier were the contestants, and the American completely outplayed the Frenchman, winning by a string of 600 to 197.

The game was at 18-inch balk-line, which is comparatively new to the experts. Garnier was nervous and did not play up to his standard. "The Wizard" played great billerds. Score:

Schaefer—2, 29, 2, 2, 13, 3, 1, 3, 2, 18, 6, 75, 18, 1, 10, 61, 7, 0, 2, 0, 2, 0, 2, 76 24, 28, 59, 33, 28, 9 Total 600. Highest run, 76. Average, 20.

Garnier—1, 5, 0, 0, 2, 1, 0, 1, 2, 0, 6, 15, 5, 13, 5, 28, 18, 1, 1, 17, 2, 27, 20, 0, 1, 4, 5, 6, 1, 9, 3, Total, 197. Highest run, 35. Average, 6 23-29.

BILLY HAMILTON'S RECORD.

MoCarthy of Colorado Is Determined to Have It Allowed.

DENVER, Colo., March 31.—A controversy has arisen between George L. McCarthy, Chief Consul of the L. A. W., Colorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon, Chairman of the L. A. W. Rollorado Division, and George J. Gideon wh ilton's record of two minutes and two-fifths of a second for one mile, unpaced, which was disallowed by the board after much delay, when it was too late for him to make another trial last year.

Gideon wrote McCarthy: "The tendency on the part of the Coloradoans in general to assign political significance to every action taken by the Racing Board that does not happen to conform to their views is disgusting in the extreme."

In a reply, declaring his determination to ask the board to reconsider its action, McCarthy says: "While I realize the arbitrary authority vested in you and the board, I do not propose that the interests of this division shall suffer because we are not blinded by the general reverence for yourself and policy."

POOL EXPERTS MATCHED.

Clearwater and De Oro Matched for the Championship. PITTSBURG, Pa., March SL-W. H learwater, the world's champion pool player, and Alfred De Oro have been matched to play for the continuous pool championship of the world and \$500 a side. The contest will take place in this city within the next thirty days. Eby, the famous player, has posted a forfeit to play the winner.

"Kid" Nichols Here.

"Kid" Nichols, the great Boston pitcher, passed through St. Louis to-day on his way to Lynchburg, W. Va., where he will join the bean-eabers. Nichols wintered at his home in Kansas City and is in good shape. He never indulges in intoxicating drinks. He thinks Marty Bergen will make a good man behind the bat for Boston and is satisfied that his club will be in the championship race.

Cycling Chat.

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VENEZUELAN CASE. The Commissioners' Labors Are Practically at an End.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March II.—The Venezuelan case before the Commission is practically completed. No decision has yet been reached by the Commission as to the necessity or advisability of some of its members going to Venezuela. Ex-Minister Soteldo has been endeavoring to persuade the Commission that this ought to be done. He says that the remains of the old Dutch forts are supposed to be somewhat in evidence and pieces of the ruins are in the same position where they ware when partially destroyed by the Spanish. Air. Soteldo thinks that not only would the Commission be able to judge better by viewing these remains, but they ould also determine as to how much of the disputed territory is really English at the present time, and weigh the evidence as to the injury Salisbury claims would be done to 40,000 British subjects, who, it is claimed, to not exist. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31 .- The

DR. PLAYFAIR'S CASE. Granted a Stay in Order That He May Have a Chance to Appeal. LONDON. March 31.-Justice Hawkins

case, in order to give Dr. Playfair a chance vincial newspaper: "We little expected such an end to the

suit. Our only aim was to throw off the shame cast on my wife. Had an apology and withdrawal been given on my return home these painful proceedings would never have taken place, and many bitter hours would have been spared both sides."

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Dr. Playfair has been interviewed, and argues that he is misunderstood and misrepresented. He communicated to Sir James Kitson nothing which Mrs. Arthur Kitson said to him, but upon his own experience as an obstetric physician, therefore no question of confidence could arise. She had entree not only to his wife's society, but to Sir James' daughters. What he claimed was the right to protect his own wife and family, and in this view he believed he was supported by the whole medical profession. It had been suggested that he should have communicated with Arthur Kitson. Had he done so he would have justly laid himself open to a charge of breach of confidence, for he would have been altogether outside his right in telling the woman's husband all he discovered about her.

He said he had received letters from doctors from every part of the country, mostly strangers, expressing approval of his action and regret at the verdict.

Austria Will Oppose It.

Austria Will Oppose It. NEW YORK, March 31.—A dispatch to the Herald from Phillopolis says that, accord-ing to trustworthy diplomatic information, Austria will oppose the desires of the Balkan States in regard to federation.

May Insure in Illinois.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 31.—The Life Insurance Clearing Co. of St. Paul, Minn, has been licensed to transact a general life insurance business in this State by the State Superintendent of Insurance. A capital scock, paid up, of \$100,000 is aworn to by the company.

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DEAN SCHUYLER'S SUCCESSOR

The Cathedral Honors Fall on Worthy Young Shoulders.

Rev. Carroll M. Davis was elected Monday night at a special meeting of the Chapter of Christ Church Cathedral to succeed the

late Rev. Montgomery Schuyler as Dean of the Cathedral. Bishop Tuttle presided and the election was unanimous. Rev. Allen K. Smith, junior assistant of the parish, was elected to succeed Mr. Davis and hereafter will be known as Canon Smith.

Rev. Carroll M. Davis was born at Campo Seco, Calaveras County, Cal., in 1857. He received his education at the University of California at Berkeley, graduating from that institution in 1879. In 1880 he was ordained deacon. The same year he went to Sacramento, where he assumed his first and only charge as pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church of that city. In 1883 he was ordained a priest. He came to St. Louis in 1871. In 1889 he was elected senior assistant of Christ. Church Cathedral.

MR. LOVE IS CONE.

He Wrete Law Books and Got Worthless Checks Cashed.

Cramer's office on the fourth floor of the building, northeast corner of Pine street and Broadway, has disappeared, and several persons who hold checks cashed for him are indignant. They claim that Love got money on checks which he knew were worthless, and that he has gone away leaving sundry obligations.

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After Attorney Cramer was hurt by falling off an Olive street car. Love was called on for the rent of the office where he was engaged in compiling a digest of Missouri statutes.

Joseph Delabar, who runs a saloon on Pine street, near Seventh, claims Love got him to cash a check for \$10.50 on a Boone County bank which was returned marked, "no good." Others make similar charges.

Love boarded at 2016 Olive street. The woman who runs the house refuses to tell where Love is or to give any information about him. The neighbors say that Love and his wife—a pretty brunette—were pleasant and affable.

PARDRIDGE TO RETIRE. The Chicago Board of Trade Flunger Is Very Sick.

THIS LOOKS AS IF HE READ

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ONLY ONE SUFFERER.

Detective Granberry Sole Victim of the

West End Poker Cames Prosecution.

WITH THE PLAYER-FOLK.

"The Corsican Brothers" was presented by Robert Mantell and company at the Olympic Monday evening. The audience received the star enthusiastically and after the third act in isted on a speech, which he made. The play, with Mr. Mantell in the dual role of the brothers, is familiar to the public. The performance last night was rully up to the standard.

To-night Mr. Mantell will appear as Othello, with Charlotte Behrens-Mantell as Desdemuta. Mark Price will be lago.

is enects of color La Lois needs in cess of fourteen electricians, who of enty-two electric-calciums. The stained by Miss Fuller is the most re-ile that has been achieved by any Paris, Londan and New York duri-tter half of this century.

USE POND'S EXTRACT OINTMENT FOR PILES.

The British Reap the Consequence of the Transvaal Raid.

MATABELELAND OUTBREAK.

The Boers May Take Advantage of the Weakened Defenses in Brit-

ish South Africa.

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cape town, March 31.—It is difficult to obtain accurate information regarding the progress of the rebellion of the natives of Matabeleland. The authorities, naturally, are withholding all the information possible, as there is no doubt that it would be made use of by the chemies of British rule in South Africa. It is not denied, however, that the situation becomes darker svery day, and that a very strong force of men will be needed to restore order.

Additional advices received here from Buluwaye show that the work of placing that town in a state of deense has been completed so far as the means at hand permit. But there is a lack of arms and ammunition with which to supply the many settlers who have gathered there from outlying districts since the uprising commenced. These men, in many cases, have rifies, but they are of all kinds and makes, and the stock of ammunition procurable for them is small. Consequently it has been found desirable to replace these weapons as far as possible with the Martini-Henry rifies, the stock of ammunition for the latter being fairly adequate.

The authorities here are now feeling the effects of the policy of weakening the defenses of different parts of British South Africa in order to make the lamentable display in the Transvani. Had metters at Johannesburg turned out as the manipulators of the expedition and uprising contemplated, things would have assumed a different aspect. But certain persons here and elsewhere are now in the position of hunters caught in their own traps, with the additional mortification of the knowledge that the Boers have by the seizures made in the mines and eigewhere of many thousands of rifles, bayonets, revolvers and maxim guns, completely turned the tables on the British find themselves.

Offensive operations against the Matabeles are almost at a standstill, communication south of Buluwayo is practically cut off, parties of settlers who left their clearings and laggered out at the first signs of alarm are still unrelieved and there seems to the Matabele

selous and Napier, at Buluwayo, have done everything possible under the circumstances, and as a result of good scouting work, they are keeping "dust in hie air," that is to say, they are doing their utmost to conceal the weakness of the position of the British, while anxiously awaiting the supplies of arms and ammunitions necessary. But these supplies are not procurable at such short notice. Thousands of stands of arms which were believed to be at the disposal of the British Chartered Co.'s officials seem to have mysteriously disappeared, and few people doubt that they are now in the hands of the Boers. The agent of the Chartered Co. has been duly authorized to raise an additional force of 500 men; but though the men are available, arms, ammunition and horses are wanting. The whole of the country outside of a radius of about twelve miles around Buluwayo is in a state of open insurrection. The vicinity of Buluwayo is kept clear of rebels by the white scouts, but it is believed that the natives are being kept fully informed of all that is going on and nobody now-doubts that the root of the trouble is at Pretoria, and that Berlin is kept well informed regarding the progress of the uprising.

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Advices from the Transvaal show that the work of preparing for war is being continued there night and day. Gangs of men relieve each other at intervals in the work upon the armored forts designed to protect Pretoria, the plates for which have been furnished by the Creusot Works, and the guns by the great Krupp firm of Germany. The drilling of artillerymen under German officers goes on openly every day. There is no longer any concealment in the preparations being made. The Foreign Less and the preparations being made. The Foreign Less and the preparations being made. The Foreign Less artillery, the Boers being relied upon to furnish all the cavalry necessary.

The general opinion expressed here is that the company's officials and the British home Government greatly underestimate the serious state of affairs. This seems to be especially the case with the British for empany's officials and the British for empany's officials or by there.

In this connection it is reported that Sir Hercules Robinson, the Governor of Cape Colony, seeing the appreach of the shaking, under encourae shaken and the storm breaks, and there are other officials who, rumor has it, would like to do the shaking, under encourae shaken and the storm breaks, and there are other officials who, rumor has it, would like to do the shaking, under encourae shaken and the storm breaks, and there are other officials who, rumor has it, would like to do the shaking, under encourae shaken and the storm breaks and there are other officials who, rumor has it, would like to do the shaking, under encourae shaken and the storm breaks and there are other officials who, rumor has it, would like to do the shaking, under encourae shaken and the storm breaks and there are other officials who, rumor has it, would like to do the shaking, under encou

It leaked out to-day that the officials of the British Chartered Company are even more alarmed than current report has it. It is understood that representations have just been made to Sir Hercules Rebinson regarding the extreme gravity of the situation and requesting that he ask for immediate reinforcements of regular troops from Great Britain or India. He is said to have assured a representative of the company that the home Government may be counted upon to meet any emergency and that additional troops may be shortly expected at Cape Town.

British Company Alarmed.

ONDON, March al.—It is reported that British Chartered South African Co. dously alarmed at the events which king place in South Africa and has strong representations on the subject British Government, showing that it dutely necessary that a large force in the subject British Government, showing that it dutely necessary that a large force British Government, showing that it dutely necessary that a large force be immediately dispatched to the f Buluwayo, and pointing out that es have arisen in the way of the being able to do so at present. Ompany was authorised to raise tonal force of 500 men in South Afit it is further reported that two all battalions of British regular fill be immediately sent there.

ATABELES' MOVEMENTS. vages Are Massing in the

Matopo Hills.

ON, March SI.—The Secretary of the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberd a dispatch from the Governor of lony, Sir Hercules Robinson, in the f Commons to-day. The message dyesterday and announced that the se were massing in the Matopo te added that communication with the management that there was massing in the Matopo i that communication with andangered; that there was ply of provisions, atc., at that there was a lack of which to supply the voluntees Robinson also end that

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It was 1:20 a. m. when the company disbanded. Uncle Filley made several speeches
during the evening and denounced the candidate Herr Doktor Precipies of Die
Westliche Feet, as a muywump.

Just why "De Oie Man" should abuse
Herr Doktor Precipies at this stage of
the campaign is not known to anybody
except those who enjoy his conndence, unless it be that the Herr Loktor has been
saying hard things about Uncle Filley recently.

The fact that the company botstronely
applauded the thrusts at Dr. Precipies
would seem to indicate that the Filleytes
are all incensed at him for an offense
which may amount to the enermity of

majeste. If they did it as McKinleyites, Col. Hahn may find it advisable to call on the Herr Doktor before leaving town and assure him that McKinley has nothing against him, or Dr. Preetorius may conclude to turn his batteries on the Ohioan.

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A BUSINESS SESSION.

Executive Committee of the Confederate Home Hold a Special Meeting.

The Executive Committee of the Board of Administration of the Confederate Home of Missouri met Tuesday morning at the Jef-ferson Club Hall, 3022 Olive street, to con-UNCLE FILLEY'S BANQUET.

Missouri met Tuesday morning at the Jefferson Club Hall, 3022 Olive street, to consider the appointment of an attorney to plead a case against the Missouri Steam-Heating Co. of St. Louis; to consider the advisability of employing a surgeon to reside at the home, and to transact whatever other business that might come before it. James Bannerman of St. Louis precided, and W. P. Barlow of St. Louis acted as Secretary. A committee was appointed to employ an attorney and the discussion related to the appointment of a resident physician was not finished.

The members of the Executive Committee present were: W. C. Bronaugh, Lewis Station; Thos. P. Hoy, Sedalla; W. Lewis Station; Thos. P. Louis; S. M. Kennard, St. Louis; S. M.

BOGARD'S TRIAL BEGUN.

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STILL A MYSTERY.

Chicago Still in the Dark About the Trunk Corpse.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 31.-The Chicago police were yesterday disposed to think the body, shipped here in a box was Oliver Pike. But this theory seems to be dissi-pated to-day. Pike wrote a letter on July 2. 1892, five months after the box was shiped from Salt Lake City; he was seen on July 3, 1898, and he disappeared in the State of Washington, which is over 1,000 miles from Utah. To-day's dispatch from Seattle seems to give the Pike theory absolute denial.

Supreme Court Decisions.

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Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 21.
Court en banc and Divisions No. 2 and met this morning. In No. 1 four case were decided and one sent to banc. I No. 2 six cases were decided and two sent to banc. Opinions by court en banc:

Per curiam-State ex rel. Keahlear vi Judge Slover; writ of prohibition awarded Barclay, Sherwood and Rebinson dissenting. W. D. Fisher vs. W. C. Patton equity: reversed and remanded.

Opinions by Division No. 1:

James W. Garvey vs. John F. Marking suit in bond; affirmed; Barclay J. dissents in titrer vs. Hughes; affirmed. H. Greer vs. Missouri Lumber Co.; electment; affirmed. City of Independence vs. A. T. Stack; damages; affirmed. Henry Harmon vs. City of St. Louis; damages; affirmed. Brace, J., and Barclay, J., dissent; transferred to court en banc.

Opinions by Division No. 2:

St. J. & St. L. R. vs. St. L. & I. M. R. St. J. & St. L. R. R. vs. St. L. & I. M. R. R.; rent and repairs; amirmed. E. J. Lingenfelder vs. I. C. & Taussir vs. F. Reel et al. partition; reversed and remanded. G. H. Orr vs. W. L. Bunker; appealed from Jackson County; foreclosure; affirmed. Thos Gay et al. vs. P. C. Murphy; suit on bond; affirmed.

By Sherwood, J.—State vs. Taylor Breth-

MUSIC AND MEDICINE.

Dr. Weener is a physician who doctors people for all sorts of troubles with a treatment peculiarly his own. He has his office in the down-stairs flat at 170 Park avenue.

Above him lives George Beyers, a musician, who plays on all sorts of instruments with an individuality peculiarly his own.

There is friction lietween the two gentlemen. Dr. Wermer objected to Mr. Beyers blowing horns promiscuously around the house and Mr. Beyers was afraid he would be taken for one of the doctors patients.

Then the Beyers liaimed the physician daily swiped their Carman paper and the disciple of Esculapius retorted with the charge that the musician swiped his English paper.

Matters came to a climax Tuesday morning. Dr. Werner was having a cedar bush in the front yard when Mrs. Beyers appeared on the scene. It sine use trying to find out who began it. Each swears the other swore. The doctor brankished a butcher-knife which he was using in his transplanting. He says he did it to scare Mrs. Beyers away. She was he wanted to cut out her palpitating heart.

The musician saw the shimmering blade from an upstairs window. He fled for the police. Mrs. Werner Just knew has husband would, get the worst of it, so she did likewise. In consequence the neighborhood cop it that Mrs. Werner chasel Beyers while Mrs. Beyer licked Werner. This is not true, however. In the scramble some one found a policeman, but when he reached the chery ou will refuse to live on the same street with either family.

VOLUNTEERS ORGANIZING.

May Be in Chicago.

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STILL A MYSTERY. CHICAGO, Ill., March 31.-Maj. Washing

GOTHAMITES IN TOWN.

There Are Ten of Them Registered at

New Yorkers were thicker than drunks in the Third District on Saturday night at the St. Nicholas Hotel Tuesday.

They came in faster than returns on election night.

Bright and early a dapper young man walked in and signed himself on the register Jules Hempner. New York. The clerk smiled broadly, for it is an open secret that the St. Nicholas is very partial to top squeezes from the Metropolis. The next man that came in looked a prosperous merchant, a banker or an aldermaner something-like that and the signature hap but under Mr. Hempner's read: L. F. Gladwin, New York. The next arrivals were a stylish couple with all kinds of bagsaga. They were M. W. Crans and wife of New York. By this time the smile on the clerk's countenance was wider than Caar Ziegenhein's at the Irish ball on St. Patrick's day in the evening. Then in quick succession strolled in William Yeliand, Jr., C. P. Stokes and Charles H. Weller, all from the city opposite Brooklyn.

The clerk had a fit right there. The four last arrivals on Monday were New Yorkers, making ten of the Metropolitans who registered in succession on the St. Nicholas gill-edged hook at 50 per register.

GOVERNMENT FINANCES.

Not Room Enough for Both Under the Figures Taken From the Forthcoming Same Root. Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March il.—The forthcoming monthly Treasury statement will show receipts during the month of March of \$35,04,139, as follows: Customs, \$12,344,215; internal revenue, \$11,536,394; miscellaneous, \$1,150,658.

For the nine months of the fiscal year the receipts are substantially as follows: Customs, \$126,966,259; internal revenue, \$110,494,-163; miscellaneous, \$12,20,306, making a total of \$350,698,46.

The deficit for the present month will be about \$1,300,000, and for the nine months \$13,519,708. During the last few months neither the customs receipts nor those from internal revenue sources have come up to expectations, and little improvement is anticipated in the near future.

Nov. 30 last, when the latest departmental estimates were prepared for Congress, the increase in the receipts from customs during the five months of the fiscal year over those for the same period in 1854 was about \$12,00,000, and a further increase was confidently expected. Since that time, however, the increase amounts to about only \$500,000.

DROWNED HERSELF.

Suicide of a Wealthy Lady of Sturgoon, Me.

misenberry of this place com-cide to-day by drowning herself the was 43 years old and the fam-liby. No cause is known for her

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Gladness Comes

THE DEADLY BEER MALLET.

Leuis Jenkins Dies of a Wound Made Stonewall Jackson Camp Organized at by George Spizer. Poplar Bluff, Me.

Jenkins was married and was the father of several children.

THE TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

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CONFROBRATE VETERANS.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., March II.—Stone-wall Jackson Camp, United Confederate Veterans, was organised in this city yesterday with twenty members. Col. H. A. Newman explained the object of the organization. Col. T. H. Mauldin was elected Commander, E. C. Lacks Lieutenant Commander, Dr. B. C. Jones Adjutant, and Dr. G. T. Bartlett Surgeon. Col. Newman delivered a fine address at the Courthouse in the evening on the Southern Con-

C., B. & Q. B. B.

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MISSOURI PACIFIC BY. E. E. C.

BELF WANTED-PEWALE.

Days have come, The saddest of the year."

"Nay, Nay, Pauline,

Fourteen Words and 10 Cents

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Any Drug Store in St. Louis is authorized to receive Advertisements and Stions for the Post-Dispatch. The Post-Dispatch has Three Special Telephones and for handling this business.

SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE.

Three lines (30 words), 5 cents; each additional line, 5 cents.

ANY drug store is authorised to receive want advertisements for the Post-Dispatch. ACCOUNTANT-EXPERT ACCOUNTANT AND CREDIT MAN, NOW WITH LARGE FIRM, DE SIRES TO MAKE A CHANGE. ADD. S 107, THIS OFFICE.

BOY-Boy of 17 wants to learn barbering. Kaiser, 1100 S. 11th st. BOOKKEEPEH. Wanted, situation by young m 3 years' experience; bookkeeper and salesm work of any kind; best of references. "Addi O 183, this office.

BOY-Wanted, sit. to do housework; 18124 N. 9th st. BOY-Situation wanted by a boy, 15 years old, for work of any kind. Add. C. W., 1126 N. 19th st. BOY-Wanted, situation to do work about hotel be colored boy. 131234 N. 9th at. BOY-Wanted, by bright boy of 16, altuation in busings office; speaks German; therough gram-mar yhool education; \$3 a week for start. Ad-dress T 186, ikis office.

OY-Wanted, situation by bright, honest boy; go references. Add. S 201, this office. BARBER—Wanted, a steady position by good bar-ber, or will work Wednesdays, Saturdays and San-days; I use no intoricants; have tools. Add. D 201 this office.

BOY-Situation wanted as dining-room boy in private family; can bring refs. Add. C, 212 Caid CARPENTER—A carpenter wants work; will wor cheap. Add. H 199, this office. COLLECTOR—Wanted, position as collector by young man, with experience, refs. and bond. Add P 202, this office.

CLERK-Wanted, situation as junior drug clerk; experience and good references. Add. A 201, thi COLLECTOR—A young man of good business wants position as collector; cash or real security. Add. G 198, this office.

DRIVER-Wanted, situation by young man to driv wagon. Add. C 202, this office. ENGINEER—Position wanted by engineer and ma chinistest present out of employment; have been with parties for 8 years and can show good ref wherever I have been. Add. H 204, this office. FLORIST—Practical florist wants position; can sel flowers from the wagon. Add. F 202, this office. MAN—Young German-American of refin ability wants position in wholesale be collector. Add. L 198, this office. MAN-Wanted, situation to assist in office telegraph; wages no object if chance to crease. Add. M 208, this office.

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, situation by man a wife, both good in hotel; wife very neat; man idone night clerking, watching, etc.; thoroughly liable; first-class references. A 189, this office. MAN-Young man, 28 years old, wishes situation any kind. Add. K 204, this office. MAN—Wanted, by a sober, industrious young man, sit. of any kind; am handy with enrpenter tools. Add. F 204, this office. MAN-Wanted, by a young man, dining room work.

Address 2339 Franklin av. MAN-Wanted, work of any kind by a young man of 22. Add. F 208, this office. MAN-Married man, with family, must have work not afraid of work; no soliciting. Add. K 198, this office.

MAN—Young man of experience, refuement and ability wants position in good commercial house A No. 1 credentials. Add. H 198, this office. MAN-Wanted, position by married man in tobacco factory; 20 years' experience; best ref. Add. K 201, this office. MAN-Wanted, position by married man; cars of stock, gardening, driving; best ref. Add. L 201, this office.

MAN-Young man wishes position in grocery or as assistant bartender; good experience; can give reference. Add. E 188, this office. MAN—Wanted, situation by married man of 80 willing to do any kind of work; handy with tools. Add. N 199, this office.

MAN—A young man of 20 wishes position of any kind where there is a chance of advancement. Add. K 199, this office. MAN-Wanted, situation of any kind by youn married man; handy with tools or machinery Add. J. B., 1329 Franklin av., 2d floor. PAINTER—Painter and paper hanger warts kork by day or job, cheap. Add. Painter, #626A Stod-dard st. PORTER Wanted, witner on as porter, or in private family; from south; city ref. Add. Wm. H. Gardner, 2050 Luca. &v.

HMAN—Wanted, position as night watchms noted or boarding house; 11 years' experience references. Add. M 201, this office. 3.00 UP-Parts to order. Mesrits Tailering Co., 219 N. 8th st., cor. Olive, 2d floor. 12.50 UP-Suits and overcoats to orde

HELP WANTED-MALE. PRENTICES WANTED—To learn the barber rade; competent in eight weeks; job guaranteed, de donated; illustrated catalogue malled free, Louis Barber College, 819 N. 9th st. RTIST WANTED-A good artist for pen and ink drawings. Address T 180, this office. BOY WANTED—Office boy, about 16 of 17 years of age. Address, in own handwriting, 5 201, this office. BOX WANTED-A colored boy at barber shop, 1929 Park av. SHELMAN WANTED—A good bushelman at 204 WANTED—Boy to learn good trade; come with rent only. Foster, 304 N. 6th st. HOUSEGIRL Wanted, situation by nest German girl as housegirl in private family; no washing.



HELP WANTED-MALE.

red. Add, A 203, this office,

OUSES \$5 down: \$1 weekly; any locality.

OULDER HAND WANTED-M St. Louis Planing Mill Co. IAN WANTED—Respectable colored man and wife without children, or middle-sged woman, to an wer telephone and do work for cent of rooms, fue and light. Apply 100 N. 28th st., Tuesday, Wednes lay 6 to 8 p. m.

MEN WANTED Office man, branch office, \$75 per month; grocery salesman, \$40; cigar sales-man; salary, —; 2 railway, news agents. Mo. Employment Co., 617 Chestant st. MAN WANTED²A man to carry a sign. Apply 2735 Franklin av.

MEN WANTED—Men to sell gold-filled Waltham watches at \$4 each and upwards. Enterpris Watch Co., Jersey City, N. J. PRINTER WANTED—A photograp 703, Fagin Bldg. PATTERN-MAKER WANTED-A pat ORTERS wanted to try Harris' \$1.98 shoes; big PAINTERS WANTED-First-class wagon Call at 1125 N. 6th st.

ORTER WANTED-Colored porter in shop; experienced, 416 Market st.

SALESMAN WANTED—Experienced salesman about 25, to call on city trade; salary \$750 fireyear. 404 N. Main st. SALESMAN WANTED—A good bicycle salesma with \$500 cash to take charge of a new bicycl store and riding school; will guarantee salary of \$1 her week and good security for the money. Add. It supports the sales of the

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Two good edge trim SALESMEN WANTED—Men to sell househol goods; money advanced; bring references. 113 Washington nv. SALESMEN WANTED—Salesmen to sell cigars; \$100 to \$150 monthly; salary and expenses; expe-tence unnecessary; reply with stamp. Superior Cigar Co., Chicago.

TEAMS AND SHOVELERS WANTED—30 teams and shovelers on Broadway and Hickory st. Jas. Carroll. TEAMS AND MEN WANTED-20 teams and 20 men on 4th and Vine sts. James Carroll. VEST MAKERS WANTED—20 first-class vest ma ers. J. W. Losse P. T. Co., 815-817 N. 6th st. \$300 INVESTMENT will pay you large weekly profits; handle your own money; refs. given. Add. T 202, this office.

STOVE REPAIRS.

Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges cry description. A. G. Brauer. 219 Locust st. RUBICAM SHORTHAND COLLEGE

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES OOK-Wanted, a situation by a first-class cool best of refs. Add. H 203, this office. OOK-Wanted, situation by English girl as cook reference given. 8216 Franklin av. OOK—Wanted, situation by a reliable colored girl to cook; city references. Please call 4013 Easton, OOR—Wanted, situation by reliable colored girl as cook in the West End or elsewhere. 1810 Pine st. COOK—An alderly German woman wants position as cook or housekeeper in private family; position will be accepted April 1; best refs. given. Add. H 183, this office.

OMPANION—Refined, intelligent roung lady de sires position at companion or nursery governass sterences exchanged; good home principal object dd. I. B. 175, Carthage, Mo. COOK—Wanted, situation by a German widow to cook, nurse or do honework by let of April in musil family; first-class ref. Add. R 170, this office. DRESNA KER—First-class dressmaker desires en-gagements in families; references given. Add. P 170, this office. GIRLS—Wanted, situations by two girls; one to do light housework; one to nurse, Add. 817 Old Manchester at.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, housework and sawing to do. Mrs. K., 2013 Franklin av., 5d foor, rear,

AUNDRESS Wanted, washing; to go out by the LAUNDRESS—Wanted, ett. to do washing at ho or go out by the day. 2122 Wash st., rear. contion as companion, heusekeeped home more desired than remi erences. Add. F 201, this office.

ITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALES

VOMAN—Wanted, young lady, plate and writer, wants situation; any kind of office; ddeess 1,200 to 1,400 circulars a day. Add. H

WOMAN-Wanted, position by colored woman by the day as house cleaner or washing. 1612 Morgan WASHING-Wanted, washing to take home or good by the day. 2107 Morgan st. WOMAN—Wanted, sit. by a settled American wom an in nice family for general work; home more object than wages. 819 N. 21st st., upstairs. WOMAN-Wanted, situation by a woman house cleaning or washing, by the day; good worker add. K., 1126 N. 19th st. WOMAN—Situation wanted by middle-aged woman place in private family; good plain cook, and will help in general work; home main object; best refs

STOVE REPAIRS. tings and repairs for stoves and ranges of description. J. FORSHAW, 111 N. 12th st.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

OUR WANTED-First-class cook, with refs. 322 OOK WANTED-Girl to cook and do get housework. S432 Franklin av. OOK WANTED-Experienced colored cook; bring refs. Call at once. 3014 Chestnut st. OOK WANTED—Cook and housegirl (colored) DRESSMAKER WANTED—First-class dressmakes by day; one who can cut and fit perfectly. 2094 N 8th st. DRESSMAKER WANTED—Dressmaker; a good waist finisher. Apply at 2937 N. 14th st. DRESSMAKER WANTED—An experienced sewing girl to sew as dressmaker. Call Wednesday, 1218 FELLERS WANTED—Experienced felling hands of fine custom coats. 617 Chestnut st. SIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 to care for childre and assist with housework. S187 Sheridan av. IRLS WANTED Expérienced girls for sewing wrappers. 718 Lucas av., upstairs. SIBLS WANTED—Experienced machine bands coats; piece workers preferred; also young girls earn. 1434 N. 15th st. Miss Wagner. GIRL WANTED—Girl to cook and do gene-housework. 3805 Kossuth av. FIRL WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and fron. BIRLS WANTED-First-class lining makers. The Brown Shoe Co., 11th and St. Charles sts., 5th GIRLS WANTED—Pive basters and finishers on cus-tom coats at once at 625 Locust St., rooms 10 and 11. IRL WANTED—A girl to press seams on pants Loth Jenus Clothing Co., 815 N. 9th st.

SIRL WANTED—Girl about 15 to take care of child for board and clothes. Call after 6 p. m., 1424 Papin et., 2d floor. EL WANTED-A girl to lears millinery work IRLS WANTED-Experienced girls, hand sewers and to work on shop coats; also baster; one that aderstands how to baste coats under; good wages aid; steady employment. Call at once. 1425 lorgan st., upstairs. IRLS WANTED—Girl felling hands for coats steady work. Apply at 1007 Wash st.

IOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 504 S. Jefferson av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl between 18 and 16 years old, for housework in small family. Call at 2334 Clark av. USEGIRL WANTED—German giri for gen msework; small family. 1822 Hebert st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A girl for general be work. 1826 St. Ange av.

g. Beward at 1012 Leons av.

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KITCHENGIRL WANTED-A kitche restaurant. 402 N. 11th /t. ADY WANTED—Lady for office position. Call t day, 1515 Washington av. MARKER WANTED—One experienced marker an sorter. National Laundry 3401 Laclede av. OPERATORS WANTED—Experienced operato make ladies' dress skirts; none but first-bands need apply. Premier Shirt Waist Factory

TARCHER WANTED- a starcher. 205 N. Br. way, 4th floor. Way, an hook.

EAMSTRESSES WANTED—Shirt walst open none but experienced need apply. Buckly Coshirt Co., 617 Pine st. SEAMSTRESSES WANTED-First-class waist an skirt hands at 4240 McPherson. SEAMSTRESS WANTED—A maid; must be goo seamstress; St. Louis references required. Appl 1023 Westminster pl.

CAILORS WANTED—Tailors and girls on cus coats; good prices paid. 619 Chestnut st., TRIMMERS WANTED—Several good trimmers. Apply at once at King, Brinsmade Mercantile Co. 709 Washington av. WOMAN WANTED Steady woman who under stands kitchen work. Coxe's Restaurant, 344

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—To sell "Householders" garbage pails; liberal commission. Call at stables. Forest Park boulevard and Vandeventer av. AGENTS WANTED—In every city, for Lyon's Au-tomatic Fertilizing Lawn Feeder; absolutely ne competition; big money; write quick. The W. W. Sprague Co., Union Stock Yards, Chicago.

PARTNERS WANTED.

PARTNER WANTED—Partner with money to so in cigar business. Add. 8 202, this office. DRESSMAKING.

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BAKERY—For sale, a good paying bakery, fixtures and implements complete; price \$350. Add. N 198, this office. SUSINESS—For sale, coal, wood and ice business complete outfit; doing good business; best loc-lon; cheap rent; long lease. Add. B 202, this office

BLACKSMITH SHOP—For sale, blacksmit shop in good location. Add. G 156, the office. IGAR STORE—For sale, receipts \$10 per day; snap, at \$450. Room 44, Lackede Building. HILL—For sale, 100-barrel steam relier mill, near new; includes ocen and bockwheat catht; on two sest railroads in Central Illinois; good fown, loc-tion and wheat country, and has prospect for wheat Add. H 180, this office. ESTAURANT—For sale; doing good business; or tablished three years; antisfactory reason for sale ag. Call or address 2348 Olive at.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE URNITURE—For sale, cheap; owner leaving city 3807 lows av.

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HOTELS.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

PERSONAL

RSONAL-H 162: Letter for you in this office

ERSONAL—Will lady who left car corner 8th and Chouteau av. at 5 p. m. Sunday communicate with entleman sitting opposite her? Add. L 159, this

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

DIVORCES A SPECIALTY.

ALL chronic allments and private and special di-seases of male or female treated free; no ex-posure; quick relief; medicine farnished; guar-anteed to cure. Call D. Medical Co., 107 N. 9th st. DR. MARY ARTHUR, 2340 Wash st., boards la dies during confinement; treats female diseases and complaints; ladies in trouble call or write consultation free.

MRS. FRANCIS, 1714 Chestput, massage and ma netic treatment for rheumatism and prostration RS.-H. BAMBERGER, midwife: ladies can find MME.BARTHOLOMEW; magnetic treatment; high-ly recommended; restores system. 100 S. 14th st. MRS. L. HOTSON receives during confinem treats irregularities; satisfaction guaranteed; est dealing; information free; experience in eases; ladies in trouble call. 1808 Washington MRS. RENNEKAMP, midwife; priv. home for dies dut. con.; terms reas, 2227 Franklis av MRS. ANNA NEWLAND, midwife, 29 S. 14th at boards ladies during confinement; treats femal troubles; terms reasonable. Call or write.

BELINF for Ladies—The Golden Seal female regu-lator; married ladies will find relief in 10 hours; never falls to remove any irregularity from any cause; sent secure from observation for \$1. Golden Seal Medical Co., P. O. box 785, St. Louis.

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BICYCLES.

BICYCLE—For sale, very cheap, high-grade model bicycle. Apply T. J. Kinsella at the J. Hudsen Co., corner Broadway and Locust. SICYCLE—Wanted, second-hand bicycle for boy | years. 'Address, giving price, R 201, this office.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

sUGGY-Wanted, second-hand baby buggy; must be handsome and a bargain. Address, giving price 201, this office. For Sale.

VEHICLES—Bargain in second-hand work; sent Rockaway; four-passenger trap and con Bockaway. Cunningham, 2020 Locust et. ORSES \$60 buys a fine big team of work hor 6 years old. 1614 Wash st.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS. PEATHERS—Chas. Unanisky pays best prices old feathers. Send pestal 704 O'Fallon at. Seathers. M. Durain, 107 N. 12th et.

MUSICAL IANO-For sale, a first-class plane; very cheap. 8419 Laciedo av. Planos Wanted, to buy second-hand apright planes for cash. Add. T 201, this office.

ANOS, organs; low prices, easy terms; plane rented and tuned. Estey & Camp, 918 Olive s IANO-For sale, \$75 bays 7-octave spright pla F. Beyer, 820 Chenteau av. Fine Piano Tuning and Repairing. ALBERT E. DORE, 2000 Fr

ODGE R. WENDLING will delive his new as elliant lecture, "Unseen Realities," on April 2 5 p. m., in the First Congregational Church man ground, none Grand avenue Toher.

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BOADWAY, 710 LARK AV., 254

22D ST., 106 N.—Three or four unfurnished rooms, with 20TH AND LUCAS AV. (McAdaras Flat 18)—Rooms, furniousd.

BOARDING. BENTON ST., 2837—Two furnished rooms, with or without board; private family.

CLARK AV., 2832—Large front room and board; \$16 per month; hot bath.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1326—2 large well-furnished front rooms; best table board; private far

CHESTNUT ST., 2012—Two lovely 2d-atory front rooms; excellent table; gantlemen only.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1516—Nicely furnished room, with board; private family; ring upper bell.

DICKSON ST., 2038—Begantly furnished 2d-story front room, with board; two gentlemen.

DOLMAN ST., 1708—Purnished room, with or without board; private family; suitable 2g-atory front room; good board couv.; refs.

GARRISON AV., 716 N.—Large 2d-story front room; good board couv.; refs.

LUCAS PL., 1615—Large, handsomely furnished room, with board.

LUCAS AV., 2732—Small neatly furnished room, with board. for young lady; private fam

LUCAS AV., 2732—Large elegant 2d-story front and other rooms; newly furnished; mode private family; board; refs.

LOCUST ST., 2023—Large, elegantly furnished rooms, with or without board; reasonable; large

LOCUST ST., 2118—Family Hotel just opened; handsome rooms; first-class board.

LOCUST ST., 2128—Family Hotel just opened; handsome rooms; first-class board.

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bath room.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1787—Neatly furnished room; with or without board.

MORGAN ST., 2829—Large 2d-story front and adjoining rooms, well furnished; superior boat
OLIVE ST., 2820—Pleasant room, with two meals and Sunday disner, for two gentles
reasonable; table first-class; home comforts.

PINE ST., 2841—Furnished rooms; breakfast and evening dinner; southern exposure.

PINE ST., 2841—For young ladies, employed, pretty, pleasant rooms, with or without beat
PAGE AV., 4266—Finely furnished rooms for gentle men or man and wife, with board if a
conveniences. Mrs. Grant.

PINE ST., 2841—Second-story front room; meals if desired.

BOOM—Nicely furnished front room, with board; salendid neighborhood; quiet comple. At
this office.

WASHINGTON AV., 2848—Rooms with first-class board; \$4 per week; fire, bot bath.

this office.

WASHINGTON AV., 2648-Rooms with first-class board; 24 per week; fire, bot
WASHINGTON AV., 2620-Piessant second-story room for one or two gentlemen;
WASHINGTON AV., 3890-Nicely furnished rooms, with first-class table board.

WEST CABANNE COURT, 221-Elegantly furnished, 2d-story front room, with

Uly.

WHITTIER ST., 1117 E.—Two second-story rooms; first-class board; private far
WASHINGTON AV., 2811—2d-story front and connecting rooms; all neatly furnis
board; refer

WASH ST., 1630—Wanted, children to board, will have nice home.

6TH ST. AND FRANKLIN AV.—Rooms, \$1 per week; beds and meals, 15c each.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC. WANTED

HOUSE—Wanted, modern 7 or 8-room house, with stable and ground; near Wells St. H 202, this office. ROOMS-Wanted, by man and wife, front and back reems, fur. for light Jefferson av. Address O 202, this office. ROOMS—Wanted, 3 unfurnished, convenient rooms, or flat, by mother and adult sea; asar full particulars. Add. W 302, this office.

ROOMS—Wanted, 3 or 4 rooms in private family; state price and location. Add. M 202, BOOM—Wanted, pleasant furnished room by single gent. Address L 192, this office.

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Wanted, rooms and board for family of 5; 8 adults and two boys, ages 8 and 7; give description and price. Address M 100, this office.

ROOM—Wanted, room, with or without board; on or near Fountain av. Add. M 200, this office.

ELATS WANTED.

PLAT-A quiet family of four waste to rent flat of 3 or 4 rooms, with bath room; separate ent not too far from center of city; rent not to exceed \$16. Address G 100, this effice. PLAT-Wanted, a tidy, not to exceed 5 froms and bath, flat, with gas fatures; location between 2013 and 38th at.; West End; immediate possession; must be fine reighborhood; state terms Address of 202, this office.

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.

FLAT-Wanted, nicely furnished flat; West End preferred; refs. given; must be res price. Add. G 202, this office.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

AUBERT AV., 1834 - 6 room modern dwelling; rest reasonable. Blackwelder-Holbrook Re-107 N. 7th st., Wainwright Building. 107 N. 7th at., Wainwright Building.

DELMAR AV., 2804—Modern rough stone front 14-room residence, lately occupied by Judge Sadden; laundry beside; gas fatures furnished; rest \$120 per month. Keys at Self Delmar av.

DELMAR AV., 3710—One of the city's choicest locations; 10-room stone front residence; bath furnace, etc.; newly decorated. Call on Anderson-Wade Realty Co., Agents 815 per month.

DICKSON ST., 2816—A 8-room stone-front house. Inquire of Philip Rodder, 307 N. 4th at.

DELMAR AV., 5710—One of the city's choicest locations; 10-room, stone front residence; hath, furnace, etc.; newly decerated. Call on Anderson-Wade Realty Co., Agents, 6th and Locat, or Geodman King, Mermod & Jaccard Javetry Co., Broadway, course Locat.

GRAND AV., 1502*E.—T-room stone front house; bath room, but and cold water, water cloud; frush and back yard, stable; all in good order; rest this a mouth; near Water Tower; here next door.

FLATS FOR RENT.

Acres best location for retail trade; a store; low sent to good tenant. A horse stable and carpenter shop, or High or 12th at,—Nice store. Keel and 30 rooms, near Prinklin av.; rest in STS.—S. w. cm.—Hiegant new corn-realistices; rent reasonable; keys on pre-tail control of the court of the court-point of the to Court-boust—Figs store and cellar loc, 4th floor.

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FOR RENT-DWELLINGS.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE BEAUTIFUL CHAMBERLAIN PARK.

We also have other houses in this lovely district

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE-No. 2956 Thomas st. cor. Garrison ax., three-story stone front, rooms and bath, bot and cold water, finished cellar and stable, now renting at .455, and permanent tenants, must be sold at once; cash or terms to suit. Isaac N. Brown, Jr., 1113 N. 8th st. Telephone 2785.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

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Sight-Seeing ...

First of all, see

\$25 to \$35 Nicholls-Ritter, 713 Chestnut

A MONEY MAKER.

N. w. cor. Compton av. and Pestaloxxi st., 90x 125, at \$22 per foot; Compton av. will be made through to Carondelet this summer; then this property will be worth twice as much; this offer good only for 3 days; come and see us. F. W. Plass & Co., 814 Chestnut st.

LODGES.

COLUMBIAN Lodge, No. 226, K. of P.—
Regular meeting Tuesday eve, 8 o'clock,
Pythian Hall, n. w. cor. 4th and Locust sts.
Work in rank of Page. Members and
visiting brothers cordially, invited to attend.
FRANK COULSON, C. C.

JAS. F. DEMPSEY, K. R. & S.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WALL PAPER cleaned like new; old established firm; highest refs.; send postal. The Enterprise Wall Paper Cleaning Co., 1810 Morgan st.

MEDICAL.

DOCUTA CAPSULES.

With this remedy persons can cure themselve without the feast exposure, change of diet c change in application to business. The medicin contains nothing that is of the least injury to the constitution. Ask your druggies for it. Frice \$1

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E. C. CHASE, Sixth and Locust.

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904 OLIVE St., Sooms 8 and 9.

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IENER, Deatist, 1718 Franklin av. Set \$5 and \$8; gold fillings, \$1 up; sliver fills. Open Sunday and evenings. THY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE.

MONEY TO LOAN. JNO. H. TERBY & SONS. MONEY WANTED.

BY-Vanted, \$2,000 on city property; worth

DANCING.

URBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE LOTS AT KIRKWOOD. teet front, 148 feet deep, \$300; \$5 down and month; so interest; no taxes for two years; and beautiful; 8 blocks from electric line; 0c. CHAS. A. ROBINSON. 108 N. 8th st., Sole Agent. NARD A. HEIDE, Salesman.

FARMS FOR SALE.

For sale, 5 acres, orchard, 330 trees; centre eat apple orchard of n. w. Ark.; joining town 00; good building site; fine health; apring price \$650; need money in business. Add. 42. Springdale, Ark.

EDUCATIONAL.

FOR SALE-MISCELLAP EOUS.

TO PRINTERS. OMPOSITION—In agate, nonparell or minion measure not exceeding 13½ pica ems. Special ms on large orders. Address W. E. Taylor, t-Dispatch.

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NEY loaned on furniture and pianos; business midential; lowest rates; monthly payments; norge for papers. Eastern Loan Co., 714½ Chestnut acomes, bicycles, etc.; lowest rates; business city private. Household Loan Co., 1223 Frank-av., 2d floor.

NEY ON EASY TERMS—A gentleman, having me surplus funds, will lend \$10 and upwards on dure, pianos, bicycles, etc. Call or address 1015 gan st. NET TO LOAN—On furniture and planos, any nount you desire, without removing property in house; money can be paid back in install its and save interest; no commission or charges papers; money given the same day applied not c. King, 814 Morgan st. Business private.

NEY-We have any amount you want; terms e lower and payments smaller than any other e: we can give you cash at once on furniture, og, sewing machines, bicycles, etc. Franklin Loan Co., 824 Franklin av., 26 floor. SEY to loan on furniture, planos, bicycles, sew-t machines, etc. Lowest rates. Business strict-infidential. Eagle Loan Co., 1238 Franklin av.

(VATE party will advance money at bankable tes on furniture, planos, etc., without removal; tiy confidential; no mortgages recorded; private y. 810 Security Building, cor. 4th and Locust. SPECTABLE parties can borrow money on furture, etc., of private party on sang terms; low-tates; no extra clarge for papers, by calling 14 Olive st., room 2.

FURNITURE LOANS.

will loan on furniture and planes at lowest le rates without removal; business strictly suital; partial payments taken, which re-cost. The Fidelity Loan Co., 802 Chestnut soom 1.

ve just put in stock a large lot of tailor and uncalled for garments, seasonable t prices that should interest you. ISE WATCHES, c also overstocked on ladies's and genfilled case watches. All the standard movements and cases. See the prices make for you.

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VN LOAN STORAGE & MERCANTILE CO.,
912 PEARKLIN AV.
30 on Personal Property.
Lowest Rates of Interest.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING LOTS

On Wednesday, April 8th, at 1 p. m., 3,000 FRONT FEET

Will be sold to the highest bidder in lois of 50x160 teet, on terms that any one can buy. Also a 4-room Cottage. This property is located in the northwestern part of the city, on the west side of Florissant av., with street car facilities to most any portion of the city for one fare. Public school and church on the property. Bellefontaine cars out Tenth and Washington av. direct to the property. Ample provision in case of rain.

For plats and other information apply to

P. BELL, 925 Chestnut St.

Pays Interest on Deposits as Follows:

2 per cent on daily balances exceeding \$100—current account.
3 per cent on sums of \$1 and upwards for six months' period. These deposits can be withdrawn at any time upon presentation of pass book, subject to rules. 4 per cent on sums of \$500 or over left for one year.

Acts as Administrator, Curator, Trustee, Maseges Estates, Etc. Furnishes Abstracts, Certificates and Guarantees of Title, Etc. FINANCIAL.

THE Little Albert Gold Mining Co. has been reor ganized. Old stockholders can learn particular by calling at 300 Pine st. Office hours from 2 to 4

TREASURY DEPARTMENT—Office of the Secretary, Washington, D. C., March 18, 1896. In accordance with the requirements of Section 25 of the Act of June 22, 1874, notice is hereby given that scaled proposals will be received at the Treasury Department is Washington until 2 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 20th day of April, 1896. for the carting of duitable merchandise imported at St. Louis, Mo., for the term of three years from the first day of May, 1896.

Biddera must state under cath the number and kinds of vehicles under their control, and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$500 payable to the order of the Secretary of the Treasury as security that if such bid be accepted, a proper contract (enabodying the specifications given below) will be entered isto by the party to whom such contract shall be awarded within ten days from the date of notification of acceptance of bid, and that the bond will be executed in the sum of \$5,000, with two or more sureties, for the faithful performance of such contract.

The contract will be so framed as to permit the Secretary of the Treasury to annul it at any time for what he may deem good cause.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to waive defects.

The blds must be addressed to the "Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.," sealed and indorsed as follows:

"Troposals for Cartage at St. Louis, No.," and will embrace:

1. Price per single package for packages less than 500 pounds in weight from all points on the eastern shore of the Mississippi River to the Appraiser's Store, including ferriage or bridge foll.

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Store.

3. Price per 100 pounds for packages of 500 pounds or more in weight from all points on the eastern shore of the Mississippi River to Appraiser's Store, including ferriage or bridge toll.

4. Price per 100 pounds for packages of 500 pounds or more in weight from railway depots or iteamboat landings in St. Louis to Appraiser's store. Store.

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J. G. CARLISLE, Secretary.

FRANCE IN MADAGASCAR.

Indications That the United States Wil Have Semething to Say.

Wall Paper Cleaning Co., 1810 Morgan at.
THE many friends of Thomas B. Kilcullin of the
Twenty-fourth Ward are desirous of having him
enter the race for School Director of the Tenth
District. Mr. Kilcullin is a life-long resident of
the district, prominent in both business and social
clickies and one of the brightest and brainlest of
the ounger members of the Merchants' Exchange
Blould he enter the race his friends declare they
will make the canvas hot from the start and
successful at the finish. WASHINGTON, March 31 -- While it can not be learned that the United States has yet joined with Great Britain in representations to France respecting the setting saide by the latter of the treaties of commerce and amity that have existed between them and the Hova Government of Madagascar, it is believed that the matter is rapidly assuming a phase that will call for some action by our Government. Like Great Britain, the United States has a treaty with the Hova Government that guarantees our citizens privileges equal to those accorded to any other nation.

This means for one thing that no greater duties shall be imposed on goods imported into Madagascar from the United States than from any other country. It is the purpose of the French Government to remove this equality and reserve special privileges for French merchants, and France has notified our State Department that by virtue of this assumption of control over the foreign relations of Madagascar, these treaties shall fall. If France has annexed Madagascar or made a French colony, then our Government must admit her right to abrogate the treaties in this fashion, but it is not certain that the present anamalous status of the French on the island can be regarded as sufficient to warrant the assumption of any such right. Our trade with Madagascar is large.

Treasury Statement.

The Wabash

Union Station daily at 11:45 p. m.

THE MARKETS.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, March 31.—To-day's statement of the condition of the Treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$271,-111,211; gold reserve, \$128,713,708. Steamship Movements. BOSTON, Mass., March \$1. - Arrived: teamer Scythia, Liverpool.





winter wheat at 80.6 per cent, against 85.8 hast year and 86.7 on Dec. 1. Pacific Coast promise is flattering, present condition being 95.3, against 95.4 hast year and 88.8 tast December.

On March 2 hast the visible supply of this country and amount seloct for Europe was 92.589.000 bu, a decrease for that period of 3.245.000 bu, the decrease in the visible having been 3.005.000 bu, where amount for the Continent increased 1.000.000 bu. For the same time last year the decrease in this supply was 2.835.000 bu (312.000 bu less than this year), the decrease in the visible being 4.533.000 ba and amount aftoat increasing 1.520, 000 bu, all in that for the Continent.

Bradstreet's available supply of wheat east of the Rockies decreased 140.000 bu hast week, where one year ago it decreased 2.411,000 bu. Amount aftoat for and in European stocks decreased 1,460.000 bu a year ago. The world's stocks consequently decreased 2.288,000 bu last week, against a decrease of 2.619.000 bu a year ago. The world's stocks consequently decreased 2.619.000 bu a year ago. The world's stocks consequently decreased 2.610.000 bu a year ago. The world's stocks consequently decreased 2.610.000 bu a year ago. The corn available increase 4 year ago. Oats increase 4 spear 3000 bu last week, against 2,000 bu increase 4 year ago. Oats increase 4 year ago.

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LEAD AND SPENTER. LEAD—Dull at \$2.90, but held aread SPELTER—Nominal at \$3.90(3.96. ON THE STREET.

NOTICE-Beenomy of space require the omission of markets infrequently changed. Articles not quoted will therefore be noted as unchanged from their last preceding publication.

their last preceding publication.

The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)

STRAWBERRIES—Is good supply and most of the berries soft and interior; Texas sold at \$365 per degallon case. Florida, 15630c per quart; Logid. 25 per 6-gallon case.

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APPLES—Fidd. 25 per 6-gallon case.

APPLES—Pidd. 25 per 6-CALIFORNIA FRUITS-Pears \$3@3.50 per 40-lb

BANANAS—On orders. 75c@\$1.50 per bunch.

TOMATOES—Florida In fair demand at \$3@.

5.50 per 6-basket crate for choice: overgrown and stale stock less: Bermuda. 50e per peck hox.

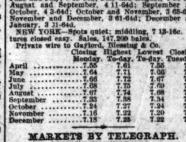
CABRAGE—Scarce and firm; New Orleans \$2.50@

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ACCOUNT OF THE PROPERTY OF

COFFEE MARKET.

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goods on the basis of \$1.25 for highwise. Receipts—Open, 17,460 but on tag 51,230 but; zze, 600 but; whisky, none; wheat, 4,200 bu. Shipments—Core, 21,400 but; oats, 50,700 but; zze, 600 but; whisky, none; whisky, 675 bbis; wheat, 5,400 bu.

KANSAS CITT. Mo., March 31.—Wheat nominally, steady; demand fair; No hard, 61c; No 3, 145c; No 2; white, 546; zzed, 72c; No 3 mixed, 251; zzed, 72c; No 3 mixed, 251; zzed, 72c; No 3 mixed nominally, 10270; zzed, 73c; No 2; white, 194c.

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RXCHANGE—Quoted by A. G. Edwards & Son New York—Par bid; 25c premium asked. Chicago—Par bid; 25c premium asked. Clacinati—25c discount bid; par asked. Louisville—25c discount bid; par asked. Louisville—25c discount bid; par asked. New Orleans—61 discount bid; 50 discount asked Discount rates at St. Louis basks steady (8 per cent call and time loans. CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT. St. Louis Stocks and Bonds.

s were: 2,000 Puritan at 4c; 100 United Ele at \$3,25; 60 Elevator at \$3; 200 Bimetallic

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Chairman Justice, Brewer Des cants Upon Its Intentions.

CLOSE INVESTIGATION

The Correctness of Some of the British Blue Book's Quetations Seriously Questioned.

Justice Brewer of the United States Supreme Court arrived in St. Louis from Texas Tuesday and registered at the Southern. Justice Brewer is Chairman of the Venezuelan Commission appointed by President Cleveland to investigate the differences between Great Britain and Venezuela as to the boundary line of the South American republic and its neighbor. The British colony enforce the findings of the Commission, n if England has to be humiliated. Post-Dispatch reporter found Justice wer occupying an easy chair in United tes Circuit Judge Thayer's office.

nonored. He turned the copy over to the Commission.

"The blue book gives the British side of the question, supported by documents contained in the Spanish and Dutch archives. The correctness of some of the blue book's quotations has been questioned by an English paper.

"As our commission has obtained permission to examine the same archives we will have an opportunity to see whether there are any errors in the blue book."

Justice Brewer was asked whether he had any political news, but he pleaded that he was not in politics and had nothing to say on the subject.

Schawacker's Street Sweeping Plans.
Supt. Chris Schawacker of the Street
Sweeping Department has made a recommendation in connection with his annual
report which contemplates a considerable
extension of the street sweeping district.
He suggests moving the western boundary
of the district where sweeping is done
every day, from Seventh street to Jefterson avenue, and to make the north and
south boundaries somewhat farther out in
each direction. The eastern boundary he
suggests moving from Third street to the
levee. Broadway, north and south, he
contemplates sweeping every night whereever there is granite.

If you want your boy to look his best, bring him to our Boys' Clothing Establishment. We will put one of our \$5 Combination Suits on him. We do not claim there is nothing cheaper, but we do claim there are no suits

better at this price. We have a \$2.50 All-Wool Suit which we would like to show you. MILLS & AVERILL,

Broadway and Pine.

For Fracturing a Skull. A warrant for assault to kill was issued Tuesday morning against Charles McGoodwin, colored, who was arrested by Officer James Murphy.

Last November McGoodwin fitted a brick on the head of Sheffani Massucci, who has a store at 410 North Levee. Massucci sustained a fractured skull. McGoodwin has been at large since.

A CARD.

Our Mr. A. S. Mermod will leave St. Louis to-morrow on his annual trip to the art and jewel centers of Europe. He will be pleased to attend to any special orders for Diamonds, Jewels, Fine Art or Bric-Brac that may be intrusted to him MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO.,

Broadway, cor. Locust st. Thieves at Springfield, Ill.

Special to The Post-Dispatch,
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 31.—Thieves continued their depredations here by robbing the large musical establishment of R. L. Berry, at an early hour this morning, and that with two special merchant police and two patrolmen on that beat. Guttars, banjos, reed instruments, sheet and other music and goods to the amount of many hundred dollars were taken.

Closing Day of the American Encyclopaedic Dictionary Distribution.

The original distribution of the new Amer ican Encyclopaedic Dictionary, inaugurated a month ago, was limited to 1,000 sets. The supplemental distribution, begun last Wednesday, was limited to six days, closing at 10 o'clock to-morrow night. More than 1,000 sets will be distributed during thes of books available may be severely taxed the rule "First come first served," will ap ply, and if the supply gives out, late comer will have to wait for the next edition in

It is a large one, and involves a tremer outside of those directly concerned with the of work necessary to print, fold, bind, ema 5,000-page work like the American Encyclopaedic Dictionary. The edition now in preparation, indeed, is taxing the capacity of one of the largest printing and binding establishments in the world.

Personal applications will be received up

10 o'clock to-morrow night, and in fairnes March \$1 will also be accepted and

as promptly as possible. Seed Contracts.

Seed Contracts.

ASHINGTON, March 31.—Secretary ton has let the contract for 10,125,000 skets of vegetable seeds, to be distributed the public under the recent act of Coness, to D. Landreth & Sons of Philadelala. The price fixed is 170,000, the seeds to be delivered subject to germinative test, under a very carefully drawn contract, free of cost, at the Department in Washington, ready for mailing.

The contract for a million packets of flower seeds was let to L. L. May & Co. of St. Paul, Minn., at 1/2 cent per package.

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WANTONLY ASSAILED.

Ool Kennan Denounces Mr. Francis Organ for Attacking Him.

JUST LIKE A WOMAN.

Annie Schulz Would Marry Tony Zeska Even if He Were a Criminal.

The remark was occasioned by the appearance before the beach of Annie Bohults, who once more pleaded for clemency for Tony Zeska. She had balled him out of the Workhouse by depositing \$500 as security for him, and then came a fuss and she surrendered her sweetheart.

"Please, Judge," was her last plea, "let him off with a fine. I will pay it end then we will get married."

"Yes, he is," insisted the pretty maiden. "You," said Judge Edmunds.

"Tony is a good boy and I know we will be happy. You see, we did not have a fuss. The neighbors guyed me. "You are going to marry a man that its going to the Workhouse, they said.

"The children shouted tt after me as I walked along the streets. It is me that is unworthy. I could not stand the taunts. They outweighed my love, and I gave Tony up. But now I know how dear he is to me. If he was going to the peniterial tentiary I would marry him. He is my love, and I must have him."

Judge Damunds was much interested by the girly impassioned argument.

"I will consult with Mr. Zachritz," he said, "and next Satur-asy will let you know what I shall do."

"Tony Zeska was in a sulky mood when told of the change in Annie."

"You gan't tell that. Of course I am willing to matry her, but my mother has a little to say, and if she decides against it will obey her."

NEW CITY HAII TINANCES

NEW CITY HALL FINANCES.

President McMath Details to the Comptroller the State of Expenditures.

Comptroller Isaac H. Sturgeon Tuesday received a letter from President McMath of the Board of Public Improvements stat-ing the City Hall situation and explaining the amounts that would be necessary to go

ahead with the work.

The letter of Mr. McMath reads:
Hon. Isaac H. Sturgeon, Comptroller:
Sir—Ordinance No. 17.310, entitled: "An
ordinance to fix the limit of cost of the
new City Hall," contains the following limteritons: hew city that, its first training fees for the building proper, findled fees for architects fi.60,000 for elevators, heating, lighting, freecoing, decorating 120,000

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These two items of estimated cost fix the expenditure for the building and such accessories as are necessary to render it habitable at an aggregate cost of \$1,730,000. Of this sum \$1,348,668.68 has been heretofore appropriated. The unappropriated balance to make up the full estimate is therefore \$381,333.34. Of this sum I think we could make good use within the fiscal year ending April, 1887, of \$300,000.

If we succeed, as I hope we may, in bringing the two ends of the building to a practical state of completion within the coming fiscal year, it will be necessary to provide, out of this year's resources, for the furniture that would be required for such parts of the building as may be completed. If the sum of \$200,000 can be set aside for work at the new City Hall during the coming year, it will be wise, in my opinion, to reserve from \$75,000 to \$100,000 for furniture, and to apply the balance—\$100,000 or \$125,000—to supplement the existing appropriations for work of construction. The balance of appropriations heretofore made available for new contracts is at tyresent date \$284.81. Very respectfully. balance of appropriations netter available for new contracts is at\preset date \$284.871. Very respectfully, (Signed.) ROBT. E. M'MATH, President.

Comptroller Sturgeon cannot as yet state that amount will be available for the

RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

The Misseuri Will Not Be Entirely Neglected.

pecial to The Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.-In the make-up of the river and harbor bill the as surance is now given that the Missouri will get some consideration, though the prob-able amount is not given. The prospective action of the State delegation in the event that the river is entirely ignored has had some effect on the committee.

NO INDICTMENTS.

Grand-Jury Net Expected to Return Bills Against Boodlers.

The Grand-jury did not hold a session Tuesday, but spent its time in privately preparing the report to Judge Edmunds From an inside source it is learned tha no indictments will follow the investigation into the alleged municipal booding. There was plenty of smoke, but little fire; plenty of talk, but nothing tangible to base proof upon.

MRS. MAYBRICK'S CASE. It Is Not Likely That She Will Be

Released for Several Years. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The Journal has

the following cablegram from London: The Maybrick Committee met yesterday

nd passed the following resolution:
"Resolved, That this committee, having "Resolved, That this committee, having considered the official notification from the Home Secretary to them of his decision on the appeal in the case of Mrs. Maybrick, express their entire dissatisfation at both the method and result of the Home Office inquiry; and, "Resolved, That further action is immediately and imperatively called for in the interest, not only of Mrs. Maybrick, but also of the administration of criminal justice generally."

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ALL THIS WEEK

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A WELL ROUNDED CARBER

The Venerable Samuel Cranwill of the Cotton Exchange Buried Today.

Mr. Samuel Cranwill, the well-known citizen and the oldest member of the St. Louis Exchange, is dead, after a long and painful illness. He had been failing for a year, but continued to visit his office and transact

IN BARNEST ABOUT IT.

Strong Pressure Brought to Bear for s New Union Market.

A number of citizens appeared before the Board of Public Improvements at its meet-ing Tuesday morning to urge the erection of a new Union market on a plot of ground bounded by High, Gay, Linden and Fourof a new Union market on a plot of ground bounded by High, Gay. Linden and Fourteenth streets.

Attorney R. Graham Frost spoke to the Board on the subject, and stated that there was an ordinance before the Assembly previding for the sale of the old market on Broadway and the erection of a new one on the site selected, but that the question had been raised as to the authority of the Assembly to act without first getting the sanction of the Board on the point.

Mr. Frost cited the law on the subject and his construction of it. Following his argument he read the petition signed by about two-thirds of the inserested property holders in the vicinity of the proposed site. A printed statement of the project was filed whowing the front elevation of the proposed building and a clear statement of what the project is.

The Board raferred the question to the proper committee for action and report as soon as possible.

Immediately after the regular meeting of the Board that body went into a committee of the whole to consider the market site question. It was decided that the President of the Board that body went into a committee of the Board that body went into a committee of the Board to manufact with the City Council and ascertain what the jurisdiction of the Board is in the matter of selling the old market and condemning the new site.

Appointed by the Preside

Wabash to the Front.
With Fast Mail and Passenger Service to the East, leeving Union Station at 2:5 a. m.

TEN RAILROADS SUED.

The Interstate Commerce Commission Trying to Enforce the Law.

DENVER, Colo., March 31.—Suit has been filed in the United States Circuit Court by the Interstate Commerce Commission, invoking the aid of the law to enforce its

St. Leuis & Kirkwood Electric Railway Threatens to Default on Its Bends.

The St. Louis and Kirkwood Railway making strenuous efforts to compromise the numerous damage suits that have been instituted since the accident on their road t Kirkwood three weeks ago.

Up to this time claims have been filed either by direct suit or by claims upon the either by direct suit or by claims upon the company by 74 persons for various sums aggregating half a million dollars.

Geo. W. Taussig, attorney for the goad, is spending aimost his entire time attempting to compromise these suits. His office is crowded by attorneys and claimants from morning to night. The offers he is making are about 10 cents on the dollar for claims. He fustifies himself for this by saying that the company is not financially in a position to pay any large sum. He also threatens flat down that if the offers of compromise made by his company are not accepted that the company will default on the interest on its \$200,000 of bonds due July I. This it is claimed would mean that the bondholders would at once sell the road and buy it in themselves, leaving the claimants for damages without recourse.

haid one of them: This is all both about the selling out of the road by the bond-holders to default of interest. Mr. Tausis has recently filed suit against Baumhoff and the St. Louis Trust Co. elleging that the binds delivered to Baumhoff were not compensated for by the work done. If that is the case the bond delivery will be withdrawn and there can be no default I can astre you that we will give them a hard fight on our claim.



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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Ex-Gov. Seay of Alabama is dead. Rabbi Agron Wise of New York is dead. Half the Georgia peach crop is reported killed by frost. John Harr has been acquitted of murder ab Memphis, Mo.

Coal miners of the Danville (III.) district are talking strike.

voking the aid of the law to enforce its continued to visit his office and transact business until last November, Avanced age from the common carriers to desist from discriminations in reached the structure of a much younger man, while his courteous manners, integrity and kindly heart won he courted the manners, integrity and kindly heart won he continued until him in business and social life.

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P. J. Clark, a newspaper correspondent

facturer of the property of the Printers' I Charles E. Clark has been apper Superintendent of the Printers' I Colorado Springs, Colo.

A bill has been introduced in the tional House of Representatives to set status of Greer County.

Beoretary Lamont, in a letter to Hawley, opposes the revival of the relieutenant-General for Gen Miles.

Lieutenant-General for Gen Miles.

COLONY FOR ARGENTINE

Five Hundred Kansans to Seek Fortune in the Far South.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATCHISON, Kan., March 31.—J. C. Wilson of the Argentine Republic, formerly a well-known Kansas stockman, arrived in

Early Lee of Birmingham, Ala., is at th Planters.

Mrs. Powell Clayton has joined her husband, Gen. Powell Clayton, of the National Republican Committee, at the Planters.

C. H. Chappell, General Manager of the Wabash, is at the Planters.

Dr. Al. Watts, a wealthy retired physician of Boston, is at the Planters.

A. Burbridge, a Teoris (III.) merchant, is at the

Dogs and the "Pinkeye."

A light-weight Overcoat require a new one-our st new and very likely contain actly the kind of a coat your like to have. Suppose you and see-prices will suit styles are correct.

A gentleman said Saturda he was leaving our store: the Suit I took off? Well, ti from 'tailor-no more of that sort me-hereafter, as for years your Ready-for-Wear Suits the Suits for me. They fit ter, wear better and are be every way than the suits the cheap Johnnies."

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ROOKE'S GREAT NERV!

Has Possession of Dougherty's House and Won't Give It Up.

E. A. Rooke has a monumer Cornellus Dougherty, a builder 254 St. Vincent avenus, called a Courts and reported Rooks to the ties, alleging trespass. Daugherty recently built a d 238 St. Vincent. He intended consequently when Rooke calls and made inquiries as to the pric ditions Dougherty congratulated so easily finding a purchaser, a celved Rooke most, courteously.

